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Local Matters.

NEW BUILDINGS.

Gen. Van Alen's Fine Residence—An Antique Work of Art.—Many Noted Improvements.

Of the large number of new villas and cottages which were mentioned in these columns some time ago as being built, many have been completed and are now occupied as the beautiful and attractive summer homes of their several owners. Others are receiving their finishing touches and will be ready for occupancy early in July, while a few will require the workmen for another year. These houses are scattered all around—on Bellevue avenue, Rhode Island avenue, Gibbs avenue, Ochre Point, Honeyman Hill, in fact there is hardly a street or avenue on our beautiful island that has not one or more houses which have been built since last season.

The new villa on Clay and Gordon streets, which H. A. Kaull is building for Gen. J. H. Van Alen, of New York, is nearly completed and will be taken possession of by the family on the first of next month. This is a singular looking building, of old English architecture, and is peculiarly different in its exterior appearance from anything we have seen. It is a long brick edifice, without an L, two stories high, with innumerable bays, balconies and gables. It is finished in ash throughout with the exception of the hall, both up stairs and down, and what woodwork there is outside is the same. The main hall is in old oak, paneled off with 10,000 brass headed nails. Leading from the hall is a winding staircase of heavy quartered oak, and the first landing extends out into a large stained glass bay. The principal attraction in this hall is an ancient English mantel of solid oak. It is ten feet high by about seven in width, and elegantly carved. On each side of the open fire-place, standing upon a pedestal, is the figure of a child supporting columns which extend to the top of the mantel. These columns are entwined with vines which are in fruit, and among which is now and then a bird. On the background of the mantel, between the two columns, are three elegantly carved scenes. The first, or topmost one, represents a hunter in the act of bringing down a bird which his well-trained dog has driven from the underbrush; the second is an English fox hunt, in which may be plainly seen the fox closely pursued by the hounds and mounted huntsmen; and the third is a refractory mule attached to a dump cart—one man is pulling at the head, another using the club, while a third is pushing behind. This handsome piece of antiquity is said to be two hundred years old, and cost $3000.

The three large rooms opening out of the hall,—dining room, library and parlor,—are finished in ash, with richly carved mantels extending to the ceiling. These rooms are, as is also the hall, handsomely frescoed. Besides the rooms mentioned there are on the lower floor a children's dining hall, servants' dining room, kitchen, butler's pantry, bath rooms, water closets, etc. Up stairs there are ten living rooms, besides bath rooms and water closets. All the rooms in the house are provided with open fireplaces.

In the extreme rear of the building, and under the same roof, are the stable and coach-house.

Newport, R. I., Firemen's Relief Association.

The government of this association consists of a Board of Delegates, composed of two members from the Board of Firewards and two from each company, as follows:

Board of Firewards—Chief Engineer H. H. Tilley, Asst. Engineer J. E. Lake.
S. F. E. Co. No. 1—Capt. Geo. Martin, W. P. Dawley.
H. & L. No. 1—Wm. R. Landers, Edw. T. Bosworth.
S. F. E. Co. No. 2—D. J. Moriarty, Wm. Hamilton.
Engine Co. No. 4—Capt. J. C. Potter, Frank Morgan.
S. F. E. Co. No. 5—Capt. Geo. C. Shaw, C. T. Bliss.
Engine Co. No. 6—Capt. S. H. Sullivan, M. P. Vaughan.
S. F. E. Co. No. 7—Capt. C. A. Easton, Jr., A. J. Kirwen.
Engine Co. No. 8—Wm. Kuhn, John R. Ward.

At the annual meeting held on the third Monday in June the following-named officers were elected:

President—Asst. Engineer J. E. Lake.
Vice President—Capt. Chas. A. Easton, Jr.
Secretary—Chief Engineer H. H. Tilley.
Treasurer—Chas. T. Bliss.

The Boat Thieves.

Michael Cotter and Charles Williams, who stole a pleasure boat belonging to James McLeish of this city last week, were arrested in New Haven Saturday and arrived in this city Monday morning in charge of Captain Hammond. The New Haven authorities made the arrest on information received from City Marshal Brayton. McLeish, who accompanied the captain to New Haven, returned Monday night with his boat. The prisoners were taken before Judge Ward Tuesday, when they both plead guilty to the charge, and in default of $300, they were sent to jail to await the action of the grand jury at the September term of the supreme court.

THE REDWOOD LIBRARY.

The Resignation of Mr. Mauran as President—Report of the President.

Mr. James E. Mauran, the efficient President of the Redwood Library and Athenæum, has handed his resignation to the Secretary. It is very much to be regretted that he has felt compelled to take this step, as no man in Newport has ever given more time and valuable labor to that institution than has Mr. Mauran. Mr. Geo. F. Crandall has also resigned his position as one of the directors.

Before resigning, Mr. Mauran made the following interesting report to the directors of his doings during his term of service:

REPORT OF THE PRESIDENT, JAMES EDDY MAURAN, TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE COMPANY OF THE REDWOOD LIBRARY AND ATHENÆUM.

Before resigning the offices of President and Director of this society I deem it proper to give a short account of the acquisitions by the library and museum, since my last report of 14th August ult., as Superintendent. The number of volumes on the shelves has been increased during the month of March by 755 books, of which 715 came from the sale of Joseph J. Cooke's library in New York, and 40 from that of Dr. David King. The books from the first sale were purchased through the kindness of John R. Bartlett, Esq. Out of the $5000 bequeathed by Mr. Cooke, to be taken out in books from his collection, there still remains unexpended the sum of $2402 49, ready for future use.—Those from the last mentioned auction are very valuable. The bill amounted to $574 39; this remarkably high cost, was quite unexpected, and was owing to 14 bound volumes of old Newport MERCURYS, which paper had never before been offered at public sale. The remainder of the aforesaid books are well worth having. Mr. David King advanced $250 to assist in the purchase; the balance came from Mrs. W. F. Weld, Mr. Marquand and others. The company has thus become the possessor of a precious set of library rarities without any outlay from its well known limited resources.

The cabinet, a donation from Miss Ellen Townsend, which now adorns the large hall, filled with old china, formerly belonging to the Easton, Redwood and Townsend families, has last week received the addition of a tankard, a teapot, a can, porringer, two tablespoons and small spoon, and a pickle fork, all of silver, manufactured in this town by Samuel Vernon, silversmith, who worked in 1668. Miss Townsend has also presented a card-table and two very old waiters of the finest mahogany.

Through Mr. Thomas N. Dale's care, two show-cases have been filled with Indian stone implements and fossils. The Littlefield cabinet of shells has been dusted and the specimens arranged in their regular order. Much other work has been done not necessary to be here mentioned.

Respectfully submitted,
JAMES EDDY MAURAN,
Newport, June 16, 1883. President.

Disastrous Voyage of a Small Craft.

On Sunday afternoon last Constantine Palmer, a lone fisherman, went out to look after and adjust his lobster pots, which were located a considerable distance out to sea. There was a heavy swell prevailing out there at the time, and the boat he was in, the Futchin, was a small cat-rigged affair, illy adapted for the work. He did not return that day or the next, and on Tuesday the boat was found by a fishing steamer drifting round in the neighborhood of Cormorant rock. She was bottom up, and on righting her her boom, gaff and sail were found attached to her, while the mast was gone. The boat was towed into Newport.—On Wednesday the mast was found at the eastern end of Easton's beach. It is conjectured that the boat was swamped on Sunday, and that Palmer detached the mast for the purpose of endeavoring to reach the shore, and that he failed to do so and was drowned. He was unmarried and followed fishing for a living. A brother of his is living in the city.

Improved Post Office Facilities.

On July 1st our energetic postmaster will greatly increase the facilities of our post office department by establishing five new letter boxes and putting on an additional letter carrier. The new carrier to be appointed, is J. Edward Bliss, who has been an employee in the office for some time. He will have a horse and will deliver the mail and collect the letters in the suburbs of the city in the region of Broadway near the Middletown line, Gibbs avenue, north Kay street, and the other streets in the northern and northwestern portions of the city. The new letter boxes will be located as follows: one near the Middletown line on Broadway; one at the corner of Warner and Gould-sts; one corner of Gibbs-av and Catherine-st; one corner of Touro and Spring-sts, and one at the corner of Thames and Dennison-sts. The mails will be collected from these boxes twice daily, in the morning at 6 o'clock and in the evening at 7 o'clock.

This new arrangement will be a great convenience to people living in Middletown near the line, as there is no post office in that town. It will be necessary for those living in the outlying portion of the city to have the street and number on the letters to insure prompt delivery.

Stabbed with a Pair of Scissors.

Last Saturday morning Wm. F. Eastman, a colored man, stabbed Michael Shea on Tanner-st with a pair of scissors. The wound was not a very serious one the weapon coming in contact with one of Shea's ribs, but the scissors were considerably bent from the force of the blow. Eastman was crazy drunk at the time, and had in his possession a pistol and a razor. In the Justice Court Tuesday, Eastman was adjudged probably guilty, and in default of bail was sent to jail to await the sitting of the Supreme Court in September.

Mrs. John Easton celebrated her seventy-first birthday, Tuesday, June 19, at her home on Broadway. A large number of her children, grandchildren, great-grandchildren and friends were present, and all enjoyed a pleasant time. She was the recipient of many handsome gifts.

Mr. Brooks' Friends Elsewhere.

"And there at Venice gave
His body to the earth
And his pure soul unto his Capta'n, Christ,
Under whose colors he had fought so long."

No doubt Mr. Brooks' death suddenly reminded many who had not seen him for a long time of their debt of gratitude to him. With him only pleasant and hopeful thoughts can gather. Neither doubts nor fears have any place. No sectarian on the earth ever hesitated to admit that he was sure of heaven, their separate and divers dogmas to the contrary notwithstanding. He believed in all the abiding parts of all their faiths; and men saw the better light of them all in his daily walk. It was pleasant last year in the Memorial Hall at Cambridge, to see him at the semi-centennial meeting of his college class. Fifty years before he was their class poet at graduation. For over fifty years his classmates had been tender and proud of him. It was natural then and now. An admirable old lady, a friend of Emerson, John Brown and Phillips, since, and a wonderful belle fifty years ago, they say, said of Mr. Brooks in 1832, "He had a face like an angel's, with rosy cheeks and golden curls. We all loved him dearly." He was brave, none the less, when pleading the cause of the slave meant for him loss of needed support, and the pain of the loss of friends. And it was a subtler kind of bravery, quietly to give his life to work that our people need, but do not know their need of, and to which they give neither praise nor reward in their generation. But some that have eyes and see knew of his good works. One of these was Thomas Carlyle. Another was Father Taylor, the great Methodist. When Father Taylor came to Newport, a certain man of his sect called on him to express alarm at his preaching with Mr. Brooks, and urged him rather to confine himself to their own one tabernacle. "Oh," said Father Taylor, "I will come round and see your people later. But I must go to Brooks' first. He is the 'salt of the earth,' you know."

Thomas Carlyle wrote him in the highest praise of his work in literature, placing some of it above any other American's in that path. Emerson, Lowell and Longfellow dearly valued his worth. And so did some very unsentimental German scholars, men who live on a high plane, and think profoundly, and who therefore understand ourselves, and better recognize our best men. And likewise such few as are left of our own old stock in the town will some of them also miss Mr. Brooks pleasant summer mornings, on his early morning walk. And in this way they will feel

"Oh neighbor gone before
Shall we not meet as heretofore
Some summer's morning?"

And winter evenings when they put up the shutters some of them no doubt will look down the vacant street where he had walked homeward so many years at twilight, and think "He was a good man."

These old people's boys owed Mr. Brooks many friendly hints and helps; and Newport boys are so soon scattered over the world that they hardly saw him later to thank him.

W. G. P.

New York, June 19, 1883.

A Generous Act.

Mr. Oliver Read was always very much interested in the Second Baptist church of this city. There was a debt of some thirteen hundred dollars which he was anxious to see paid. A lot of land belonging to the church was sold Tuesday, the proceeds to go towards the payment of this debt. To make good the balance Mr. Read's two sons, William G. and Edwin O., drew their check for $300 and presented it to the church. They also directed that their father's subscription to the church and for the support of the pastor should be kept good and obligated themselves for the payment of the same in the future.

Annual Meeting.

At the annual meeting of the Cliff Cottage Association which was held at the Cliff-av Hotel, Wednesday, it was voted to change the time of holding the annual meeting to the second Tuesday in November. The following officers were chosen for the ensuing term:

President—N. W. Littlefield.
Secretary—L. D. Davis.
Treasurer—S. H. Norman.
Directors—L. D. Davis, John Kendrick, N. W. Littlefield, H. A. Kaull, A. S. Sherman, A. C. Titus, W. D. Flagg.

The executive committee are L. D. Davis, N. W. Littlefield and A. C. Titus.

The Aiders of Judd and Rounds.

Patrick White, the third party in the indictment for aiding Judd and Rounds, arrived here from New York Saturday morning in company with Capt. Hammond who had gone to that city to get him. The three men indicted for giving aid and comfort to the runaways are now in jail and will come up for trial at the adjourned term of the Court of Common Pleas which meets on July 2d, when some interesting developments are expected. N. Van Slyck of Providence, has been retained by the defence.

Oliver Read's Will.

We understand that Mr. Read in his will has left his house and an annual income of fifteen hundred dollars to his widow, his sons William G. and Edwin O, to pay the taxes and keep the buildings in repair. The will gives his son Henry an annuity of $300 a year, the balance of his property, besides a few small legacies and $300 the income of which is to be used in keeping his cemetery in repair, he gives to his two sons William G. and Edwin O. Read of New York.

A memorial service was held on Wednesday afternoon in the Island Cemetery, at the grave of the Rev. Charles T. Brooks, it being the seventieth anniversary of his birthday. The Rev. Mr. Wendte, pastor of the Channing Memorial church, the teachers and scholars of the Sabbath School were present. The twenty-third Psalm was read, the deceased's favorite hymn, "Nearer my God to Thee," sung, and the pastor delivered a brief and touching address. The children then covered the grave with flowers.

The medals for amiability were awarded in the First Grammar schools yesterday morning, that in Mrs. Williamson's school to Miss Nellie E. Dyer, and in Miss Jones's school to Miss Jessie Fludder.

Funeral of Rev. Chas. T. Brooks.

The funeral of the late Rev. Charles Timothy Brooks was solemnized at the Channing Memorial Church last Sunday morning and was attended by a large congregation of prominent citizens of this and other cities, who, forgetful of all religious differences, had come to pay a last tribute to a departed friend who had been universally loved in life and who was universally mourned in death. The church was neatly and appropriately decorated, the window erected to the memory of the departed pastor and the reading desk and pulpit being in deep mourning. The remains were enclosed in a broad cloth covered casket with silver trimmings, which was placed in front of the pulpit. Among the prominent floral designs was that of a star, from the Unity Club. Upon the five points of this beautiful tribute, in small flowers, were the words: "Faith," "Hope," "Charity," "Honor," "Love" and in the centre were the initials of the deceased, "C. T. B." with the word "Vale" underneath.

After the prayer and other appropriate service, the pastor, Rev. C. W. Wendte, delivered an eloquent and feeling address over the remains of the departed christian, at the close of which ex-Gov. C. C. Van Zandt read the following original poem which he had prepared for the occasion:

CHARLES T. BROOKS.

We will lay him in the tomb,
When the land is all abloom,
With the roses and the lilies of a golden day in June.

And the silver throated chimes,
Up above are chanting rhymes,
And the little birds are singing all in tune.

On so bright a summer day,
How he loved to preach and pray,
And his words were full of fragrance as the flowers.

Now with childhood's tender grace
On his dear unconscious face,
In the old familiar place,
He is sleeping all these quiet summer hours.

With the freshness of a boy,
Flushed with every simple joy,
Unfolding like a daisy in the sun.

For his life was pure and white,
And his heart was full of light,
And the flower was a star just begun.

But it faded slow away,
Growing fairer every day,
Till its snowy petals dropt on the sod.

But the glowing golden heart,
Was transfigured and is part
Of the lights around the throne of our God.

For he caries was a man,
On the bright celestial plan,
Springing out from the strong New England root.

Grace and nature here combine,
As the green leaves and the vine
Bear the amethystine clusters of the fruit.

When Christmas Eve came round,
And the frost was on the ground,
And the winter winds their moans seemed to hush,

How his carols would ring,
And themes yes seem to sing
Like a snow bird with the trill of a thrush.

How the poor Carrier Boy
Has seemed radiant with joy,
As at New Year he journey'd along;

For the heart now so still
At its own loving will
Had filled both his hands full of song.

Oh! gentle summer light,
Kiss the lips so cold and white,
And stir the silvered glory of his hair;

No words of grief we speak,
For the roses on his cheek
Are blooming in a land more fair.

"Blessed are the pure in heart!"
How our winged memories start,
And like Angels float adown on the breeze:

For his age was perfect youth,
And his life unclouded Truth,
And "although he was blind now he sees."

The following are the names of those who acted as bearers: Rev. Dr. Thayer, Mr. William K. Covell, Mr. John G. Weaver, Hon. George Bancroft, Mr. G. W. Wales, Mr. E. J. Anderson, Mr. Henry C. Stevens, Mr. Edmund Tweedy and Mr. George H. Calvert.

A Little Crooked.

In the Justice Court, last Tuesday, Robert A. Davis, a colored man, was fined $5 and costs for larceny, he having plead guilty to the complaint. Davis is a carpenter by trade. He came here last April and went to work for Mr. Edward O. Riggs. He had no tools to speak of, representing that he had left his chest of tools in New York, and Mr. Riggs kindly loaned him such as he needed. From time to time he increased his stock of tools, always with second-hand ones with the names of the former proprietors erased. On Sunday morning he was seen entering and leaving Mr. C. S. Murray's stable, and the next day some carpenter's tools were missed from there. Suspicion rested upon him and he was arrested and the missing articles found in his possession. Davis tells the story that he purchased the tools of a man about leaving the place, who directed him to go to Murray's stable and get them.—He is a man of pleasing address and had become quite prominent and popular in the Shiloh Baptist church.

Birth Day Party.

Dr. Brinley and family are passing the season at the residence of Nathaniel Peckham, Esq., on the East shore in Middletown. Wednesday afternoon Mrs. Brinley gave a birthday party to her son, Samuel Bradford. Some thirty young ladies and gentlemen were invited from Newport, and they went out in Stewart's big drag, S. S. Vars, driver. The party had a strawberry festival and picnic, and the festivities were brought to an end by an old-fashioned dance in Mr. Peckham's kitchen, Mr. Peckham furnishing the music from his violin assisted by his daughter, Mrs. Albro, at the piano. They all had a delightful time.

A New Flag.

At a recent meeting of steam fire engine company No. 7, it was voted to purchase a flag for their house and a committee was chosen to circulate a subscription paper for the purpose of raising the necessary amount of money. The many friends of this popular company responded generously and the flag of steam fire engine company No. 7 will be thrown to the breeze from their engine house on the morning of July 4, at which time the Betsy Baker will "remark."

Rev. H. J. van Dyke, Jr., has a very interesting article on Princeton College in the July number of the *Manhatta*, a new magazine published in New York.

CITY COUNCIL.

A special meeting of the City Council was held Thursday evening; present, His Honor Mayor Franklin, Aldermen Kaull, Langley, Hopkins and Waters, President Bacheller, Councilmen Stanhope, Wilbur, Peckham, Barker, Redford, Flagg, Greene, Shea and Burdick. The tax ordinance for the seven months ending January 1, 1884, was passed. The several items of appropriation for the ensuing term will be found in another column:

On recommendation of the committee on Streets and Highways the following work was ordered done under direction of Street Commissioner; to dredge about the mouth of the Long Wharf sewer at a cost not to exceed $300; to lay an 8 inch pipe sewer in Second-st at estimated cost of $2500; to sewer, grade, cover with crushed stone and re-set curbing at estimated cost of $1000; to lay sewer in Cherry st, between Third and Fourth sts, at a cost of $250; to lay sewer in Red Cross-ave to connect with Middleton ave, at estimated cost of $2500; to sewer, grade and curb South Baptist st at an estimated cost of $2000; to erect a board fence at back of sea wall at end of Chestnut st at a cost of $50; and the committee were authorized to purchase and put up two windmills, with tanks and pumps for watering Ocean avenue, at a cost not to exceed $500 each.

A resolution from the committee on Fire Department, asking that the Board of Fire Wards be authorized to purchase two four-wheeled hose carriages and to sell hand engines 4, 6 and 8, was laid on table temporarily, subsequently it was taken up and referred to committee on Fire Department.

A communication from the Board of Firewards, recommending that the salaries of firemen be increased $25 per man and engineman, $50, was referred to proper committee.

A lengthy report from the Overseers of the Poor, showing the number of persons helped and the amount of money expended, during past year was read and received.

A petition bearing a long list of signatures asking that Broadway and West Broadway, be lighted with the electric light, was referred to committee on Gas and Lamps.

A resolution authorizing the committee on City Property to have painted the lamp posts and iron railing at the beach, was passed.

Several petitions to connect estates with sewers were granted and several referred to committee on Streets and Highways.

A communication from the Sanitary Association thanking His Honor the Mayor for certain suggestions offered in his recent inaugural relative to the Board of Health and expressing a hope that measures would be taken to carry them out, was read and received.

On recommendation of Superintendent of Hacks, several hack and wagon licenses were granted.

The petition of H. G. Marquand and others, for a sewer of proper size on Gibbs-ave, was referred to committee on Streets and Highways.

A resolution was passed authorizing the committee on Gas and Lamps to have a street light placed at the corner of Whitehall ave and Broadway.

His Honor the Mayor read a communication from Commodore Luce which was accompanied by a letter from Secretary Chandler, in which it was shown that the acceptance of Coasters' Harbor Island by the Government for a Training Station was now an established fact, and giving a polite hint for the city to leave the Island.

The committee on Gas and Lamps were authorized to obtain proposals for furnishing lights and lighting streets and city buildings, and for all the lanterns, posts, fixtures and repairs to be required for street lighting during the ensuing term.

A well-signed petition, asking that not more than 30 licenses be granted to sell liquor by the glass, and asking that the price of such licenses be not less than $300, was read and recieved.

Several junk licenses were granted and that of Jonathan Bracewell was revoked. Several tavern, eating-house, and pool-table licenses were granted.

P. J. Galvin, attorney, presented a petition, signed by several hackmen and stable keepers, claiming that hack licenses have been granted to non-residents at same price that residents are taxed, and asked that the license of Frank F. Boardly be revoked. After some discussion the matter was referred to the Superintendent of Hacks who will look into the facts of the case and report.

A resolution was passed authorizing the City Treasurer to make his deposits in the Merchants Bank for which the bank pays a bonus $200.

In Joint Convention Geo. E. Vernon, Jr., was elected foreman, John H. Wetherell, assistant foreman, and Wm. B. Scott and Geo. W. Gladding members of the Hook and Ladder company No. 1. Henry G. Bryer and Thomas Cavannah were appointed as undertakers, and Bowen T. Sweet and George James as Special Police Constables

The Black Valley Railroad.

Last Sunday was devoted to Temperance in the Thames street Methodist church. In the afternoon the pastor, Rev. E. F. Clark, delivered a discourse on "The Black Valley Railroad." A large painting back of the speaker, with all the scenery incidental to a railroad station, surrounding country, etc., illustrated the discourse, which was still further illustrated by the names of some forty "stations" displayed on each side of the picture. These "stations" were emblematical of the various progressive phases in the drinker's career. Besides these there were displayed five full-length portraits of the drinker in the advancing stages of his appetite for the deadly drink. The discourse was an exhaustive treatment of the whole question of the prevailing traffic in and use of the remorseless destroyer. One could not help, while listening to it, wishing that every man, woman and child in the city were privileged and disposed to hear it. In the evening the same subject was presented by Messrs. Thomas Martland, A. C. Titus, Joseph Jones, Frank Silvia, Isaac Sherman and "Commodore" John Bridges.

Last Saturday, at noon, Thomas Burlingham, auctioneer, sold the estate on Market-square, occupied by Thomas Stevens as a grain store, to John Shannahan, for $5000.

HUMAN BONES.

Five Skeletons Exhumed on Golden Hill-st, Supposed to be the bones of Hessian Soldiers Interred during the Revolution.

While a gang of men in the employ of Wm. Fludder & Co., were excavating for a sewer on the upper part of Golden Hill-st yesterday, five human skeletons were exhumed. Previous to this street being opened through, some half a century ago, the portion where the men are at work formed one corner of an old cemetery which lies on the right of the street just above the Edward King estate and these are doubtless the bones of those who were buried in this part of the yard.

An old gentleman living in the neighborhood says that his mother lived on the lower part of this street at the time of the war of Revolution and that he has often heard her speak of Hessian soldiers, that died here during that war, being buried in that corner of the cemetery where the street now is, and he gives it as his opinion that the bones exhumed are those of these soldiers. It is not unlikely that this may be so; that they were buried without any stones being erected to note the fact, and that when the land was needed for a street, it was thought that no one was buried in this corner.

The Messrs. Fludder had the bones carefully gathered together and placed in a box until they could be re-interred in another portion of the old cemetery.

TRAINING SHIP BOYS.

They have a Battalion Drill and Parade on Coasters' Harbor Island—They are Reviewed by Commodores Luce and Semmes.

Thursday afternoon the boys on board the United States training ships Portsmouth, Jamestown and Saratoga, together with the marine guard from the New Hampshire, were landed on Coasters' Harbor Island for a battalion drill and parade. There were twelve companies of about forty men each. After the drill and parade the battalion was reviewed by Commodore Semmes, president of the board of inspectors of naval vessels, at present on duty in this harbor, and Commodore Luce, the commander of the squadron. The boys performed the different manœuvers in perfect order, and made a beautiful scene as they went through the several movements.

Later in the evening after the boys had returned to their several ships, two of those on the Portsmouth, pretending that they had lost a hat overboard, or with some like excuse, clambered into a boat lying alongside, and before their superiors had become aware of their intention, were making rapidly for the shore. As soon as discovered they were ordered to stop, but paid no attention to the order. Several shots were fired at them, but a tug coming in range got the only effective shot that was fired in her cabin. The boys succeeded in reaching the shore and up to last accounts had not been captured.

Lost and Found.

Mr. C. L. Stanhope is the owner of a dog which he has had twenty-three years, and prized very highly on account of its age. Thursday he missed the dog from home. Search was made but the dog could not be found. Mr. Stanhope mourned for him as a lost friend. Friday morning he heard of a dog of the description of his in the hands of the dog killer for the city. Mr. Stanhope started in pursuit and reached Mr. Wilcox's house just in season to save the life of his aged dumb friend. There was rejoicing in the house of Stanhope over the timely discovery of the ancient canine. Mr. Wilcox found the dog in possession of some boys who were abusing it, and no owner appearing he was about to dispatch it as a vagrant.

A Pleasant Occasion.

On Friday evening of last week, the members of engine company No. 7 presented their retiring foreman, Capt. Benj. F. Tanner, with a muster roll of the company in 1878, handsomely framed, and an escritoire equipped and ready for use. Capt. Tanner has been an efficient member of this company for the past sixteen years, and took the company to Fall River in 1878, when it took the first prize in a contest with other engines.

Then and Now.

In looking over an old tax-list of 1833, a few days since, we found that the population of this city fifty years ago, was 8,025, and that the total amount of taxes raised for that year was $6,834, only about $170,000 less than is now required to run the city for seven months. The total valuation of the town then was $1,239,600 real estate, and $940,100 personal property. The tax that year was $3,20 on a thousand dollars.

A New Society.

On Monday afternoon the Improved Tenement Building Association met at the office of the Charity Organization Society for the purpose of temporary organization, Col. W. A. Stedman in the chair and ex-Mayor J. Truman Burdick as secretary. A committee consisting of the chairman and secretary and J. P. Cotton was chosen to make a draft of by-laws, etc., and report at an adjourned meeting to be held on the second of July.

Funeral of Mr. Read.

The funeral of the late Mr. Read took place from his late residence on Bull st, Sunday, and was attended by a large number of the citizens of Newport. The exercises were conducted by the Rev. F. Rector, pastor of the Second Baptist church and were very appropriate. The interment of the remains was private.

The Mayor presented to the City Council Thursday evening, a very polite hint from Commodore Luce, for the city to quite the government property, Coaster's Harbor Island, but no action was taken looking to providing a place for the poor. The city will have to do something soon, and it would seem to be the duty of the City Council to put some kind of a proposition before the people for their acceptance or rejection. The people have made up their minds that the Freebody land is the proper place for an asylum, and they will probably accept of no other proposition till this one is put before them.

Envelopes by the million for sale at this office.

CITY BRIEFS.

Jottings of Newport and Newporters.

Ex-Gov. Van Zandt and wife have gone to Richfield Springs, N. Y.

General McDowell, U. S. A., was in town the early part of the week.

Judge Baker, of this city, is about to build a new house on Cranston-ave.

The troops at Fort Adams will not take part in the Fourth of July parade in this city.

David P. Albro is building for Benj. B. H. Sherman on John street, a one tenement house, one and a half story high, size 20x48.

Doris' great Inter-Ocean circus and menagerie will give an exhibition on the lot recently occupied by Forepaugh's, on July 13.

The adjourned term of the Court of Common Pleas meets on Monday, July 2, instead of June 25.

After July 1 no stamps will be required on bank checks, matches and many other articles of a useful nature.

Dr. C. A. Brackett, of this city, has been elected professor of dental pathology and therapeutics at Harvard college.

Mr. Jesse Boynton, of Providence, will occupy Dr. Channing's place, "Beachside," across the bathing beach.

The Ocean House which has been thoroughly overhauled and renovated will be opened to the public on Monday.

Capt. Samuel Smith sailing master of the yacht Dauntless has been heard from by letter dated May 21, at Lisbon bound for Cowes, Isle of Wight. All well.

Mrs. Bacon of Detroit, a sister of Postmaster Coggeshall, is in town on a visit to her relatives. She has not been here before for seven years.

Mr. Peter Casey has opened a grain store at 21 Franklin-st, where he is prepared to supply all wants in his line at reasonable prices.

Mr. Hugh O'Neil has been appointed clerk to the street commissioner, vice John S. Engs, Jr., who has a position in the engineer department at Nantucket.

The third prize in the Sophomore prize declamations at Brown University Monday evening was awarded to Henry J. Rhett of this city.

Capt. J. G. Baker has been detached from the revenue cutter Samuel Dexter, and ordered to the command of the Boutwell, at Savannah, Ga.

Mr. Joseph Barrett who has been at the Troy House, Troy, N. Y., during the winter is in town for a week previous to entering upon his duties at Nantasket Beach Hotel, Nantasket.

The Pilgrim went on the line Wednesday night taking the place of the Providence. Her first round trip was a very successful one, the boat proving a good sailor. The Newport line will be opened next Monday night.

The charter of the Redwood Library has been changed so that hereafter the annual meeting will be held on the 3d Wednesday in August instead of the 3d Wednesday in September.

The Premium List for the Fair of the Aquidneck Agricultural Society, to be held on the Society's grounds Sept. 18, 19 and 20, are now ready for gratuitous distribution at this office.

Messrs. P. F. Conroy & Co., plumbers, of this city, have received the contract to supply Fort Adams with pure water. They propose to sink two artesian wells and put in steam pumping apparatus. The capacity of the wells is to be fifty thousand gallons daily.

The Rev. J. O. Hewlett, who tendered his resignation as rector of Zion church some time since, closed his pastoral labors in that church last Sunday. During his pastorate here Mr. Hewlett has made many friends in the city, both in the church and out, who deeply regret his departure from them.

The Old Colony Steamboat Co. will put in operation, on Monday, the Newport line, when the steamers Old Colony and Newport will make regular trips between here and New York, leaving here at 9 P. M. This being the Eastern terminus of the line, passengers will be allowed to rest undisturbed until 7 o'clock.

The First National Bank has declared a semi annual dividend of five per cent., and the National Exchange and Aquidneck, a semi annual dividend of four cent., evidently the national banks of Newport are doing a good business. The Island Savings Bank has declared its 20th semi annual dividend of 2½ per cent., equivalent to 5 per cent. per annum.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

Sales.

Mary A. King and others have sold their one-third interest in a lot of land, 70x100 feet, on Hammond-st to William K. Thorne, for $583.33.

John N. A. Griswold has quit-claimed two lots of land, 100x258 and 50x100 feet respectively, on Pond ave, to the Improved Tenement Building Association, for $5148.33.

Wm. J. Underwood has sold a lot of land, 100x100 feet with buildings, on Weaver ave to Arnold L. Burdick, for $1, etc., and Arnold L. Burdick has sold to Wm. J. Underwood, on the same terms, the estate on Broadway known as the Fanny Fern cottage.

The Second Baptist Church Society has sold the lot of land on North Baptist st, adjoining the church on the west, to Wm. Brownell, for $884.

John Campbell has sold a lot of land, 35x61 feet, with buildings, on Golden Hill-st, to Richard B. King, for $1500.

James Mahoney has sold a lot of land, 65x155 feet, on Howard-ave, to Alfred Smith, for $2015.

Ellen Lawton has sold the estate on the corner of William and King streets to Mary A. King, for $5175. The lot is 23 feet on William st, by 75 feet on King st.

Edward F. Goddard and others have sold an undivided tenth part of the estate on the Northwest corner of Cross and Elm sts, to Lewis L. Simmons, for $160.

Wm. M. Bailey, trustee, has sold 41,803 square feet of land on Cranston-ave, adjoining land of Mrs. C. M. Seymour, to Caroline M. Seymour, for $10,862.52.

For additional locals see 4th page.

Poetry.

The Fallow Field.

BY JULIA C. DORR.

The sun comes up and the sun goes down;
The night mist shroudeth the sleeping town;
But if it be dark or if it be day,
If the tempest beat or breezes play,
Still here on this upland slope I lie
Looking up at the changeful sky.

Naught am I but a fallow field;
Never a crop my acres yield,
Over the wall of my right hand
Stately and green the corn blades stand,
And I hear at my left the flying feet
Of the winds that rustle the bending wheat.

Often while yet the morn is red
I list for our master's eager tread,
He smiles at the young corns towering height,
He knows the wheat is a goodly sight,
But he glances not at the fallow field
Whose idle acres no wealth may yield.

Sometimes the shout of the harvesters
The sleeping pulse of my being stirs,
And as one in a dream I seem to feel
The sweep and the rush of the swinging steel,
Or I catch the sound of the gray refrain
As they heap their wains with the golden grain.

Yet, oh, my neighbors, be not too proud,
Though on every tongue your praise is loud,
Our mother Nature is kind to me,
And I am beloved by bird and bee,
And never a child that passes by
But turns upon me with grateful eye.

Over my head the skies are blue;
I have my share of the rain and dew;
I bask like you in the summer sun
When the long bright days pass one by one,
And calm as yours is my sweet repose
Wrapped in the warmth of the winter snows.

For little our loving mother cares
Which the corn or the daisy bears,
Which is rich with the ripening wheat,
Which the violet's breath is sweet,
Which is red with the clover bloom,
Or which for the sweet fern makes room.

Unless under the sunset sky
Year after year men say I lie.
Little they know what strength of mine
I give to the thrilling blackberry vine;
Little they know how the wild-grape grows,
Or how my life-blood flushes the rose.

Little they think of the cups I fill
For the mosses creeping up the hill;
Little they think of the feasts I spread,
For the wild wee creatures must be fed;
Squirrels and butterfly, bird and bee,
And the creeping thing that no eye may see:

Lord of the harvest, Thou dost know
How the summers and winters go.
Never a ship sails east or west
Laden with treasures at my behest,
Yet my being thrills to the voice of God
When I give my gold to the golden-rod.

Harper's Magazine.

Some Days.

BY JESSIE F. O'DONNELL.

Some days there are when life and love
Seem best of gifts from heaven above;
Some days when sky and cloud and sea
Bring sweetest thoughts of life to me;
Some days heartaches but trifles seem,
And haunting care an idle dream;
Some days.

But clouds may cover the bluest sky,
And tears 'neath the softest lashes lie;
Rough winds may ruffle the smoothest sea;
Forever hid is life's mystery;
Though lightly to us life's burdens fall,
The sorrow of others must sadden all—
Some days.

Why should grass be green and skies be blue
When life is dreary and love untrue?
Why do sunsets fade and nights grow cold?
Why do friends prove false and hearts grow old?
Oh! life seems cruel, and God but a dream,
And death far sweeter than life, I deem—
Some days.

Forever I follow a vision fair,
But never shall mine be its presence rare;
For fate is mocking, and hope is vain;
And my heart cries out in desolate pain,
"Has God no thought for the pain below?"
O heart sore tried, shall we not know
Some day?

Selected Tale.

LOVE OR MONEY.

"No, sir, I can't say yes to any such nonsense," said Mr. Philbrick—"old bach philbrick," all the irreverent youngsters of Hartley Corners called him. "Why? Simply because my niece can do better. Isn't that a good reason? I think it one of the best of reasons. Good, better, best. You may be a man to make her happy, therefore a match with you would be a good one. But the man I have in view for her would not only make her happy, but he's got something beside his head and hands to live on. Therefore a match with him would be a better one, don't you see?"

"No, I don't see it so," answered Mark Anderson, "because she loves me, and not the man you've set your heart on her marrying."

"Love! Fudge!" exclaimed Bachelor Philbrick, disdainfully. "I have lived twice as long as you have, young man, and I never was in love yet."

"Were you ever in England?" asked Mark.

"No, and never want to be," answered Mr. Philbrick.

"Then why aren't you logical, and argue because you never was there, that there is no such place as England? You might just as well do that as to pretend that there is no such thing as love because you never experienced it."

"I don't want any words with you," responded Mr. Philbrick. "I won't have any. You're like all other young men of these days; you think you know a good deal more about matters and things, and what's for the best, than older heads do. I calculate to look out for my own affairs yet a while, and for Kittie's also. She's a self-willed, obstinate girl, but I mean to convince her that she's foolish in listening to your fol-de-rol. You needn't try to convince me that I am wrong, for you can't do it. I am not one of the kind to be bamboozled when my mind is made up."

"I am sure that I have no intention of trying to bamboozle you," answered Mark.

"I have your niece's promise to marry me. It would be much more agreeable to her and me, if we could obtain your consent to our marriage. But, if you chose to refuse it, for no better reason than you have yet given, we shall marry without it, sir."

"Eh! What's that?" exclaimed Mr. Philbrick. "My niece marry you against my wishes? If she does, she shan't have a cent of my property. Not a cent, sir."

"I don't know as she wants any of it," answered Mark, proudly. "I have two strong arms to work with, backed up by a big heart, and I'll see that she doesn't come to want."

"Oh, fiddlesticks!" exclaimed Mr. Philbrick, with infinite contempt.—"That's all nice enough to talk about now, but wait till you have to get down to real hard work, and grub for a living. Then you'll sing a different song. Why, hang it all, young man, don't you see that I am considering your welfare, as much as her's, in withholding my consent to this foolish plan of yours?"

"I am greatly obliged, I'm sure, for your great and sudden interest in me," answered Mark, with keen sarcasm.—"I have great respect for age and the wisdom belonging to it, but not enough to ignore my own conviction, and be guided wholly by the opinions of others, especially when they are not backed by better reasons than any you have given me."

"That's as much as to say, I suppose," said Mr. Philbrick, wrathfully, "that you snap your fingers at me and my opinion?"

Mark made no reply.

"You can do as you please about it," added Kittie Philbrick's uncle. She's her own mistress. If she's fool enough to throw herself away on a poor young man, when she can have her choice of the two richest ones in town, she can do so for all of me, but she must understand that she'll never handle any of my money."

"Your money is something that has never been taken into consideration by us," said Mark.

"Oh, no, I suppose not!" sarcastically. "No, no! of course not! But I thought there would be no harm done in giving you to understand what to expect, or rather what not to expect, from me."

"Mr. Philbrick, I am not the man you take me for," answered Mark, proudly. "If you knew me better, you would never insinuate that possible fortune was what I looked at in wishing to marry your niece. I want her because she loves me. But your mind is made up, and there is no use in wasting words about the matter. Good-afternoon, sir!"

Mark bowed himself out.

"I must say I like his grit," admitted Bachelor Philbrick, as the young man went down the walk. "But the idea of marrying for love, when there's money to be made in the transaction! Stuff and nonsense!"

Two days later Kittie came to him with traces of tears on her pretty face, but a look of quiet determination showed through.

"Uncle John," she said, very calmly, but in a tone that told that her mind was fully made up, "I am going to marry Mark Anderson next Sunday."

"Just as you please," answered her uncle. "It don't concern me any.—But I must say you're a fool in taking up with that fellow when you could have 'Squire Askam or Lawyer Goodsell if you'd only say the word."

"I wouldn't marry either of them if they were the last men on earth," declared Kittie, bravely. "I'm going to marry Mark, and I know we'll be happy; and I do wish, Uncle John, that you would look at it as we do, and come and visit us after we're settled."

"Don't go to asking people to visit you on nothing a year," responded her uncle.

Then he walked out of the room.

"Mark and Kittie were married in a very simple, quiet fashion, and went to housekeeping in a pleasant little place a few miles from Hartley Corners.—Uncle John sent over all her things by his hired man, but did not go near her himself, or send her word that told her he had concluded to accept, and make the best of the inevitable.

"Well, if he chooses to cherish a grudge for what we have done, so be it," said Kittie. "I am satisfied."

"And I hope you'll never have cause to be sorry for it," supplemented Mark, kissing his wife's rosy cheeks.

"I am sure I never shall," with her head upon her husband's shoulder, in an attitude of perfect content with her life and its outlook.

"I heard some bad news to-day," announced Mark one evening. "The bank in Glovertown has failed, and your uncle must have lost every cent he had there."

"Poor Uncle John," said Kittie.—"He always kept his money there, so he must have lost everything. Isn't there any prospect of his saving anything?"

"None at all," answered Mark—"I'm sorry for him. It must be hard to be reduced to poverty in old age, especially through the dishonesty of men one has trusted."

"I'll tell you what I'm going to do, if you're willing," said Kittie. "I'm going to write to him, and ask him to come and stay a while with us. I'll tell him that we hardly felt like doing this before, for fear he'd think we wanted to effect a reconciliation on account of his money. Now he can't think that of us."

"I'm willing, of course," assured Mark. "I'm too happy to feel sore over what he said to me when I asked him to consent to our marriage. Tell him I'd like to have him come."

So Kittie sent her letter.

About a week after, the stage stopped at the gate, and who should Kittie see clambering out of it but Uncle John?"

"Oh, I'm so glad you're come," she cried, running to meet him. "I was afraid you wouldn't. And Mark will be glad, too. We don't think a difference of opinion ought to prevent our being friends."

"No, of course not, since you had your own way," replied Uncle John, gruffly.

But Kittie knew his way well enough to feel satisfied that he was really glad to visit them, and consequently she felt very much elated.

"Well, I must say you look tolerably comfortable here," he remarked, after he had looked the premises over.

"Of course we haven't been able to fix things up yet just as we'd like to," answered Kittie, "but the crops are looking well, and Mark feels sure there'll be enough to turn off to make a payment on the place this fall."

Before Mark came in to supper, Uncle John was quite at home, and he greeted his nephew cordially.

"Thought I'd come over and stay a few days," he remarked. "Since that bank smash up I've been thinking of quartering myself on my friends, you know."

Then Uncle John chuckled in a way that a man would hardly be supposed to who had lost all he had at one fell swoop of misfortune.

Uncle John stayed a week before he said anything about going home.—Then, one morning—

"I am going to The Corners when the stage goes," he informed them.—"I will be back Monday, I guess."

"You are welcome to come and stay as long as you like," said Mark.

On Monday, back came Uncle John, as he had promised.

"There's something for you," he said, tossing a folded paper into Kittie's lap.

"Why, Uncle John," cried Kittie, with flushed cheeks and surprised eyes, "it's a deed of this farm to Mark and me. What does it mean?"

"Means that the farm's yours, of course. Is dinner most ready? I'm half famished."

"But I want to know where this came from, and how," persisted Kittie. "I don't understand."

"I can't explain till I've had something to eat," he replied.

And nothing could be got out of Uncle John until after the meal was over.

"There isn't much to explain," he said, pushing back his plate. "I drew all my money out of Glovertown Bank two weeks before it failed, so I didn't lose a cent. That deed is the wedding present I ought to have given you when you got married. I own up I was mistaken in this husband of yours, and I've been convinced that there is something in love, after all, but don't you go to crowing over me for having to own up that you were right, or I'll—do something, for I hate to give up that I was wrong, the worse way, and I can't stand it to be twitted of it after I have acknowledged the corn."

A Straight Man.

A chap who plumped off the wharf at the foot of Randolph street the other day was promptly pulled out by three or four men who witnessed the action, and when the victim was safe on the planks one of the men remarked:

"Did you fall in?"

"No, sir; I jumped in."

"Did you intend to commit suicide?"

"No, sir."

"But you must have been tired of life to take that leap. Tell us your troubles, and perhaps we can assist you."

"Gentlemen," said the stranger, after swallowing a glass of whiskey which a boy had run for, "I'm a man of straight business principles. I've jumped off the docks along here some six or seven times this spring. I'm always sure of being pulled out, of securing a big drink of whiskey, and the cash collection runs from seventy-five cents to three dollars."

"Well, you won't get no cash out of this crowd," said one of the men.

"I realized that as soon as you pulled me out and I sized you up," replied the stranger, "and I may as well add that the whiskey you sent for is the poorest stuff I ever drank. Take it altogether, I'd have made more to faint away or to have had a fit in a saloon."—*Detroit Free Press.*

The Kansas City Times calls for the forfeiture of the charters of Gould's railroads in Missouri, on the ground that those corporations have violated their obligations to the public.

Jay Gould's pennant for his yacht is appropriately yellow, the color of gold, embroidered with a big G. The shippers disrespectfully aver that it looks for all the world like a small pox signal.

A White Mountain Stage driver said to a New Yorker sitting by him, "I s'pose if I went to New York I should gawk around just as you folks do up here."

Tom's Wife.

"A city girl! No wife for a struggling young man," sighed rich, eccentric Aunt Sarah, sorrowfully.

"Brought up with the expectation of being an heiress, too. Her extravagant habits will ruin the boy!" said Mrs. Pry, severely.

"And a *beauty!*" sneered Miss Crankett, with withering contempt.

She could have forgiven her any crime save that of youth or good looks.

So the gossips down in Tom Lysander's native village put their heads together and nodded grimly and foreboding when they heard he had married Lila Ware.

The daughter of his employer, he had loved her long and almost hopelessly. One day through the city spread the news like wild-fire that Ware & Co. had failed. He went straightway to the house, where he had ever been a welcome guest. He found the laughing girl whom he had known, graver and perhaps a little haughtier than of old; a woman whom the first breath of misfortune had not blasted to despondency or languor, but rather had strengthened and invigorated.

She listened, silently, while he told her the story which had lain so long in his heart unsaid. And, when he had spoken, she gave him frankly the love which till then womanly pride had veiled.

He brought her to a home which, though bright and cozy, held none of the luxury of that which she had known; but she made it home in fact as well as in word—the dearest spot in the world to Tom Lysander.

One evening Lila Lysander came up to where her husband sat wearily thinking.

Through the open windows came the breeze, laden with promises of the summer. Below, boys were crying blue violets on the city streets.

"Tom, dear, what is it?"

He started at the sound of the tender voice and put his arm around her as she stood beside him.

"Can you bear bad news, pet?"

"I can *share* it, Tom!"

He laughed at the brave, womanly answer.

"The gun of bad luck was double barelled, to-day, dear. Our salaries were reduced one-third on account of a partial failure of the firm, and—I had a letter from Aunt Sarah!"

"Oh, Tom! What does she say?"

"That she is making arrangements with her lawyer to discontinue the allowance I have had ever since I was a boy; also to eradicate my name from her will. There!"

"And all this on *my* account?" wistfully.

"Ah, that's where the joy comes in, my darling! I have you—the rest is nothing!"

"Is she not cruel, Tom?"

"Far from it. She is peculiar, whimsical, easily prejudiced. She used to love me dearly. And if her blessed old eyes caught one glimpse of my bonnie bride,—Come for a walk, my dear."

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"Work! for you, Mrs. Lysander? You surely don't mean it! Why, my dear child, you don't know the meaning of the word.

Lila Lysander, standing before her father's old lawyer, a slim, childish figure, looked up at him with resolute eyes.

"But I *do* mean it, Mr. Mitchell.—Some position which will permit me to be home in the evening before Tom returns. He is working nights, now, to make up for the decrease in his salary. It is terrible to think he should toil so hard, while I am comparatively idle. You will help me, Mr. Mitchell—you *must!*"

"Come to think of it, I do know a place that would suit you. She's a client of my office-mate, Hillhouse, boarding at the Revere—rich, bless you, rich! She wants a young girl to stay with her part of the day, while she's in the city—companion, guide, that sort of thing, you know. No one would ever take you to be married, Miss Lila. There! I'm dropping into the old name myself. Craig—your second name, Lilian Craig. Capital! A harmless deception. Sit right down here while I go and see Hillhouse.—Dear! dear!"

He bustled eagerly off, and bustled smilingly back.

"Hillhouse says it's all right. He is privileged to engage you. A companion—a few hours a day—ten dollars a week to the right person. That wasn't much to you once, Miss Lila. Not much, was it?"

There were two ten-dollar bills on the top pantry shelf. But Tom didn't know.

"I'll wait till it grows a little," Mrs. Lila said, gleefully, to herself, "and then I'll give him a surprise party."

One day, in her luxurious room at the Revere, Mrs. Parcival lay ill with a feverish headache. Her companion went softly round the room, dropping the curtains and stopping the clocks, lest the ticking of these latter should disturb the invalid. When she came back to the couch she found two dim old eyes fastened on her in kindly scrutiny.

Miss Craig, how long have you been with me?"

"Two weeks."

"Do you know I've grown very fond of you in those two weeks, little girl?"

A thin hand was laid, caressingly, on Lila's.

"What a heavy gold ring you wear—like a wedding-ring! I wish it was. I wish—"

She grew dreamily silent.

The afternoon slipped away. The shadows gathered. The room was darkened, the clock stopped, and Lila did not perceive how late it was growing.

"Does your head ache now?"

"No, but my heart does. Lilian," she sat suddenly erect and cast the rich wraps aside from her stately old figure, "I am rich and you are poor. We are both lonely. You have crept into my heart—sadly against my will, I confess, for I had grown very bitter and cynical of late. If you come to me you shall be as my daughter—"

"Oh, no, no! Forgive me! I cannot! What—what sound is that? A bell! Hark!"

"That!" surprisedly. "That is only the Angelus from the French Catholic church."

"The Angelus!" She sprang to her feet in alarm. "Then it is six o'clock. I have outstayed my time. I must go!"

She lit the gas, and hurriedly found her wraps.

"Why, my Cinderella! What a panic! Leave me your glass slipper—Come in!"

The door was flung wide and a man brushed into the room.

"My darling, how you have frightened me!" he said, crossing to where Lila stood. "I got home early to-night, and forced Ellen to tell me where you—*Aunt Sarah!*"

He wheeled around and clasped the old lady in his arms in impetuous, boyish fashion.

"Well, this is a surprise! How did you and Lila—"

"You know Miss Craig?"

"Miss Craig!" mystifiedly.

Lila came swiftly forward.

"I did not know she was your aunt, Tom. I have never heard you speak of Mrs. Percival by any name save Aunt Sarah!"

"Miss Craig, you cannot be—"

"I am Tom's wife!" simply.

"You—Tom's wife?"

"I am," with quiet pride.

"But he married a horrid city girl, who was extravagant and knew nothing about work—and—and—"

Lila laughed at the vague hearsays.

"I am that horrid city girl. I was extravagant when extravagance meant only liberality. And love has taught me the sweetness of work."

A sudden recollection of his aunt's injustice to his wife came to Tom Lysander.

"Come, dear, we must be going. Aunt, pardon this intrusion. Good-night!"

But Mrs. Percival sprang up.

"No!" she cried, impulsively; "you will shake hands and forgive an old woman, my children! Bless my soul, Tom's wife!"

And she bent and kissed her.

Know Him Well.

"Do you know the prisoner?" asked a judge of a witness.

"Yes, sir, I do; I know him intimately; he and I were in a bank together at the same time."

"Ah, when was that?" was the question of a shrewd lawyer, who was counsel for the prisoner.

"Well, as near as I can remember, it was five years ago, and about 3 o'clock in the morning; none of the bank officers were present at the time."

The witness was speedily excused.

Mine and Thine.

"So you has done left de Jones's?" remarked Matilda Snowball to Eliza Pinkston, both colored, as they met on Austin-avenue.

"You bet I leffed 'em. Day ketched me wid a dollar I found on de mantlepiece, an' tuk it away from me, so I jes' quit 'em."

"You is a fool, niggah. I wouldn't hab leff till I done got my dollar back. White folks am so presumin', now-a-days."

A quack doctor heads his advertisement,—"Ho, all ye dyspeptics!"—That's just what dyspeptics won't do. If they would all hoe vigorously they might not need any medicine.

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RAYNHAM, MASS., Aug. 12, 1878.

C. I. HOOD & Co.: Gentlemen— * * * I have had ringworm humor and salt-rheum so badly that my body was covered with raw sores; so, also, my head and face. I have had any number of doctors in the last seven years, and none of them could cure me. One day my mother was in the city of Taunton, and found one of your cook books, and in reading it I found many people testifying to cures from the use of your Sarsaparilla and Olive Ointment. I felt forced to try it, although I had seen many things advertised that never did me any good. I have now taken two small bottles and one large one of Sarsaparilla, and used three boxes of Ointment. I now call myself cured. Nothing can be seen of the humor but the dim outlines of the sores. I shall take two more bottles, and then the cure will be complete.

I am gratefully yours,
EDGAR F. WHITMAN

Biliousness, Sick Headache.

PITTSFIELD, MASS.

MESSRS. C. I. HOOD & CO.: Gents—Please send me by express two bottles HOOD'S SARSAPARILLA and a few Cook Books for distribution. Your preparation has worked wonders in the case of my wife, who has been troubled with sick headache and biliousness for years. She only took one-half teaspoonful at a dose, and has not been so well for five years as now. She found that within a week after taking it she felt very much better, and is now entirely free from those severe headaches. She has not taken any of any account since last spring, and what little she had is lent to do some others some good, and we must have it in the house.

Yours truly,
HOMER B. NASH.

HOOD'S SARSAPARILLA

Is sold by all druggists. Price $1, or six large bottles for $5. Prepared only by C. I. HOOD & CO., Apothecaries, Lowell, Mass.

☞ Use HOOD'S TOOTH-POWDER.

Voluntary Tributes of Gratitude for Benefits Received.

DEAR SIR,—Please allow me the privilege of giving my testimony regarding the wonderful curative properties of your invaluable medicine, Hunt's Remedy. During the past six or seven years I have been a great sufferer from kidney disease, and during a great part of the time my sufferings have been so intense as to be indescribable. Only those who have suffered by this dread disease know of the awful backache, and pains of all kinds, accompanied by great weakness and nervous prostration, loss of force and ambition which invariably attend it. I had all these troubles intensified, and was in such a bad condition that I could not get up out of my chair except by putting my hands on my knees, and almost rolling out before I could straighten up. I tried the best doctors, and many kinds of medicine, but all failed to help me, and I experimented so long endeavoring to get cured that last spring I was in very poor shape, and in seeking for relief my attention was directed by a friend to the remarkable cures of kidney diseases, etc., which were being accomplished by Hunt's Remedy. I was induced to try it, and began to take it, and very soon "limbered up" as it were; my severe backache, and the intense pains I had suffered so long speedily disappeared, notwithstanding I had been bothered with this complaint so many years.

When I began to take Hunt's Remedy I was considerably run down in my general health, and suffered also from loss of appetite. Ever since I have been taking the Remedy, however, my improvement has been most marked; my former complaints, aches, pains, etc., have disappeared, and I now feel like my former self, hale, hearty, and sound in health. I shall always keep Hunt's Remedy with me, and would most earnestly recommend all those who are sufferers from kidney or liver diseases, or diseases of the bladder or urinary organs to use Hunt's Remedy, and take no other.

Yours very truly,
HENRY H. SHELDON,
No. 260 Westminster St., Providence, R. I.

"In the lexicon of youth, etc., there is no such word as *fail*." That "lexicon" is now found in the laboratory of Hunt's Remedy. It knows no such word as—*Fail.*

CAUGHT A BAD COLD

The SUMMER COLDS and Coughs are quite as dangerous as those of midwinter.

But they yield to the same treatment and ought to be taken in time.

For all diseases of THROAT, NOSTRILS, HEAD or BREATHING APPARATUS

Perry Davis's Pain Killer

is the SOVEREIGN Remedy

ALL DRUGGISTS KEEP

PAIN KILLER

PARKER'S HAIR BALSAM.

This elegant dressing is preferred by those who have used it, to any similar article, on account of its superior cleanliness and purity. It contains materials only that are beneficial to the scalp and hair and always

Restores the Youthful Color to Grey or Faded Hair

Parker's Hair Balsam is finely perfumed and is warranted to prevent falling of the hair and to remove dandruff and itching. Hiscox & Co., N.Y.

50c. and $1 sizes, at dealers in drugs and medicines.

PARKER'S GINGER TONIC

A Superlative Health and Strength Restorer.

If you are a mechanic or farmer, worn out with overwork, or a mother run down by family or household duties try PARKER'S GINGER TONIC.

If you are a lawyer, minister or business man exhausted by mental strain or anxious cares, do not take intoxicating stimulants, but use Parker's Ginger Tonic

If you have Consumption, Dyspepsia, Rheumatism, Kidney Complaints, or any disorder of the lungs, stomach, bowels, blood or nerves, PARKER'S GINGER TONIC will cure you. It is the Greatest Blood Purifier **And the Best and Surest Cough Cure Ever Used.**

If you are wasting away from age, dissipation or any disease or weakness and require a stimulant take GINGER TONIC at once: it will invigorate and build you up from the first dose but will never intoxicate. It has saved hundreds of lives; it may save yours.

CAUTION!—Refuse all substitutes. Parker's Ginger Tonic is composed of the best remedial agents in the world, and healthily different from preparations of ginger alone. Send for circular to Hiscox & Co., N. Y. 50c. & $1 sizes, at dealers in drugs.

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FLORESTON COLOGNE.

Its rich and lasting fragrance has made this delightful perfume exceedingly popular. **There is nothing like it.** Insist upon having FLORESTON COLOGNE and look for signature of

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LARGE SAVING BUYING 75c. SIZE.

FLANNEL SUITS

FOR THE

SEASON.

We have received our usual very full stock of FLANNEL SUITS. These goods were made for us, and we can fully

WARRANT EVERY SUIT!!

☞ We invite the attention of every one that has a flannel suit to purchase, to this stock, as we feel confident that we can give BETTER GOODS than can be found elsewhere in the city. Prices as low as first-class goods can be named anywhere.

JOHN H. COZZENS & SON,

234 Thames St.

REMOVAL.

THE OFFICE of the Newport Waterworks is removed to the brick building on Marlboro' street, west of Thames street, formerly the office of the Newport Manufacturing Co.

C. B. WEAVER,
4-21 Superintendent.

For Sale or To Let.

For Sale.

A VALUABLE FARM AND COUNTRY ESTATE, situated on Allen's Harbor, Quidnesset, R. I., known as the homestead farm of the late Col. Geo. W. T. Allen, and now owned by Alden C. Pray, Esq., of Warwick. This farm contains

145 ACRES OF GOOD LAND,

under a high state of cultivation, with a modern built mansion house, and other convenient buildings; a well bearing apple orchard, other fruit trees, shrubbery, &c.; seaweed in abundance. This is a desirable place for a

GENTLEMAN'S STOCK FARM.

It will be sold for a reasonable price and terms, or will exchange for improved city property in Newport. Apply to

GEORGE V. WILBUR,

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For Sale,

AT A FAIR PRICE,

THE WELL KNOWN FARM BELONGING TO

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FOR THE

SEASON OF 1883,

A large number of

FURNISHED COTTAGES

AND

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Lists and full particulars on application to

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NEWPORT, R. I.

Conanicut Island.

TO LET,

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FOR THE SUMMER,

Situated along the shores and upon the elevated lands of this Island. Rentals from $150 upwards. One is on a farm, having fine shade trees, good bathing near by, use of horse and carriage. Parties seeking rest and comfort should apply at once. Also to let (by the year) a farm containing about 140 acres, with good house and fine apple orchard, of the finest variation of fruit. This place is beautifully located, with extensive shore frontage, and will be offered until April 1, at a very low figure.

Board at the hotels and boarding houses secured upon application to

DANIEL WATSON,
233 Thames street,
3-24 Newport, R. I.

VALUABLE FARM FOR SALE

THE BATTEY FARM, on Harrison Avenue, containing about sixty-six acres, with large two-story house, barn and other buildings. This is one of the most valuable farms on the island, being under a high state of cultivation, and all good tillage land. It is elegantly located for a summer residence, as it borders on Narragansett Bay near the ocean, and commands one of the finest views of ocean, bay and inland to be had on the island.

Apply to STEPHEN B. CONGDON,
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TO LET, a furnished house for five hundred a year, or three hundred dollars for the season. Apply to ALFRED SMITH.

Co-Partnership

NOTICE.

I have this day formed a copartnership with my son, J. D. Richardson, Jr., under the style and firm of

J. D. RICHARDSON & CO.

I desire to thank the public for the very liberal patronage extended for the past fifteen years, and solicit for the new firm a continuance of the same.

J. D. RICHARDSON.

NEWPORT, R. I., Feb. 1, 1883.

WILLIAM C. LANGLEY & SON,

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Are now showing the Best Line of

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Ever Offered in This City.

They are prepared to make the same into garments of the latest styles, and guarantee fit and workmanship.

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Fruit, Vegetables, &c

RED AND YELLOW BANANAS, Apples, Oranges and Lemons, Nuts in every variety, Hothouse Grapes (Black, Hamburg and white) cut to order, Tomatoes, Lettuce, Cress, Parsley, Mint, Carrots, Beets, Turnips Cauliflowers, Onions, Bermuda and Charleston Potatoes, Choice Table and Cooking Butter, Eggs.

Fresh Salmon, Striped Bass, Chicken Halibut, Soft Crabs, Bluefish, Blackfish, Cod, Shad, Mackerel, Lobsters, Oysters, Soft and hard shell Clams, also Little Neck Clams open on half shell, &c.

☞ Prompt and particular attention given to all orders and dinner parties.

CARRY BROS., 187 & 189 Thames St.

Traveler's Directory.

FALL RIVER LINE

—FOR—

NEW YORK.

The staunch and elegant steamers BRISTOL and PROVIDENCE are now running on this route and will remain in service until further notice.

Leave Newport from Long Wharf, week days at 8.15 P. M. (or on arrival of boat from Fall River), Sundays at 9.30 P. M.; arrive in New York in season to connect with early trains South and West. Annex steamer connection to Jersey City and Brooklyn.

No change in fares to New York.

First Class Tickets, unlimited.....$3.00
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For tickets and staterooms apply at New York and Boston Despatch Express office, 109 Thames street, or on board steamers.

J. R. KENDRICK,
Gen'l Manager.

J. H. JORDAN, Agent.

NEWPORT & WICKFORD

Railroad & Steamboat Company.

SUMMER ARRANGEMENT.

Steamer Eolus

ON AND AFTER MONDAY, JUNE 11,

Leaves Commercial Wharf, Newport, four times daily, as follows:

7.00 A. M.—Connecting at Wickford with trains for Kingston, Westerly, Stonington, New London, Hartford, New Haven and New York; also, with trains due at Providence at 9:10 and Boston at 10:50 A. M. Arrive in New York at 4:22 P. M.

***12 M.**—Connecting with Shore Line Express for New London, New Haven and New York; also, with trains for Hartford, Springfield and the West, and with trains due in Providence at 2:10 P. M. Passengers arrive in New York at 6:40 P. M.

5.00 P. M.—Connecting with express leaving New York at 1 P. M., due at Providence at 7:03 P. M., and in Boston at 8:30 P. M.

11.10 P. M. (Sundays included)—For New York, connecting with night mail for New York, arriving there at 6.38 next morning.

RETURNING,

Will leave Wickford Junction:

4.25 A. M. (Sundays included)—On arrival of night mail from New York and New London, due in Newport at 6 A. M.

8.35 A. M.—Connecting with train from New London, Stonington, Westerly and Kingston; also, with train leaving Providence at 7:40 A. M., arriving in Newport at 9:00 A. M.

1.35 P. M.—Connecting with 8:00 train from New York, Stamford, New Haven, New London, Stonington, Westerly and Kingston; also, with train leaving Providence at 12:40 P. M., arriving at Newport at 2:30 P. M.

***6.27 P. M.**—Connecting with Newport express, leaving New York at 1:00 P. M., also with train leaving Providence at 5:30 P. M., arriving at Newport at 7:15 P. M.

Connecting with Providence four times daily, viz: from Newport at 7:00 A. M., 12 M., 5:00 and 11:10 P. M.; from Providence at 12 midnight, 7:40 A. M., 12:40 and 5:30 P. M.

*This train will not stop at Wickford or Belleville.

THEO. WARREN,
Superintendent.

FOR CONANICUT ISLAND.

Jamestown and Newport Steam Ferry Time Table.

ON AND AFTER MONDAY, May 7, 1883, and until further notice, the steamer JAMESTOWN, Capt. Wm. G. Knowles, will run as follows:

Leave Jamestown 6.15, 8.15, 10.30 A. M., 1.00, 3.30 and 6.00 P. M.

Leave Newport 7, 9.45, 11.30 A. M.; 2.30, 4.30, 6.45 P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave Jamestown 9.30 A. M., 12.15 and 5 P. M.
Leave Newport 10.15 A. M., 22.45 and 5.45 P. M.

Old Colony Railroad

ON and after Monday, June 18, 1883, trains leave **Newport for Boston** as follows: 7.45, 10.15 A. M., 2.55, 4 30 P. M. RETURN, 8.15, 11.40 A. M., 3 35, 4 45 *6 00 P. M. **Coal Mines,** 7.20, 10.15 A. M., 2.55 P. M. RETURN, 9.04, 10.42 A. M., 2.01, 5.51 P. M. **Bristol Ferry,** 7.20, 10 15 A. M., 2.55, 4.30 P. M. RETURN, 8 39, 10.38 A. M., 1.56, 5.47 P. M. **Tiverton,** 7.20, 7.45, 10 15 A. M., 2 55, 4 30 P. M. RETURN, 8 54, 10.32 A. M., 1 50, 5.33, 5.42 P. M. **Fall River,** 7 20, 7.45, 10.15 A. M., 2.55 4.30 P. M. RETURN, 8 43, 10.21 A. M., 1.40, 5.24, 5.31, 7.25 P. M. **Taunton,** (Dean St.), 7.45 A. M.; (Wales street,) 7.20, 10.15 A. M., 2 55, 4 30 P. M. RETURN, (Dean street,) 8.43 P. M.; (Wales street) 7.45, 9.41 A. M.; 1.00, 6.05 P. M. **Middleboro** (via Weir Junction), 7.45 A. M.; (via Taunton,) 10.15 A. M., 2 55 P. M.; (via Myricks) 4.30 P. M. RETURN (via Weir Junction), 3.35 P. M.; (via Taunton) 6 55, 9.06 A. M. **Cape Cod,** (via Weir Junction), 7.45 A. M.; (via Taunton) 2.55 P. M. **Plymouth,** 2.55 P. M. **New Bedford** 7.45, 10.15 A. M., 2 55 P. M. RETURN, 8.23, 11.00 A. M., 2 35, *6.25 P. M. **Providence,** 7.45, 10.15 A. M., 2.55 P. M. **Fitchburg,** and stations on Northern Division, 7.45, 10.15 A. M., 2.55 P. M. **Lowell,** 2.55 P. M. **Oak Bluffs,** 7.45, 10.15 A. M., 2.55 P. M. **Nantucket,** 10.15 A. M.

*Boat from Fall River.

J. R. KENDRICK, Gen'l Manager.
J. H. FRENCH, Div. Sup't.
J. H. JORDAN AG'T. 6-16

TARIFF

—OF—

RATES.

NEWPORT OMNIBUS CO.,

—FOR—

Coaches, Victorias, Crystals and Stages, in the compact part of the city and to points in the suburbs, including rates by the hour.

1 passenger per hour	75 cents
2 or 3 " " "	$1 00
4 " " "	1 40

Rates in the Compact Part of the City.

To or from any point south of Bliss Road and vicinity	25c each
To or from any point west to Washington street and vicinity	25c "
To or from any point south to Narragansett-ave and vicinity	25c "
To any point east to the west end of Easton's Beach	25c "

Rates for short distances within the above given points must be governed accordingly, and will range from 15 to 20 cents each unless agreed before leaving the stand.

Rates in the Suburbs.

To or from south side of Narragansett-ave and north side of Marine-ave and vicinity	25c each
To or from south side of Marine-ave and Bailey's Beach and vicinity	20c "
To or from Bliss Road and One-Mile Corner and vicinity	20c "

This company seeing the need of a reasonable cab and phaeton service, have decided to add to our omnibus business such a system as is found in other cities.

We will send cabs and coaches to boats and trains, when ordered, at the above rates. Parties will please name the number of seats wanted when ordering.

Owing to a certain arrangement at the trains and boats, we shall depend largely on getting our orders in advance, as it enables us to get close to the landing, handy for our passengers. The public will notice by this system that there can be no extortion on the part of the drivers, and if there should be any trouble, ready redress is obtainable.

The rates as they appear above hold good to all boats and trains, and for all local calls from 8 A. M. to 9 P. M.

Midnight work will be subject to a slight advance. All persons wishing the services of the above will please send orders to the Company's office, No. 4 Travers Block, Bellevue-ave, to J. D. Richardson's store near the post office, New York & Boston Express Office 175 Thames-st, or to A. J. Ward, Odd Fellows' building, Washington square.

Telephone connection.

B. J. BURTON, Sup't.

Newport, R. I., May 5, 1883.

Miscellaneous.

Continental Steamboat Co.

NEWPORT AND PROVIDENCE.

Summer Time Table, 1883.

On and after Monday, June 18, steamers will leave Newport for Providence at 7.30 A. M. and 4.30 P. M., Sundays at 8 A. M., 12 M. and 5 P. M. Returning, will leave Providence at 9.00 A. M. and 5 P. M., Sundays at 10 A. M., 2.20 and 6 P. M.

The 8.30 A. M. boat from Providence and 4.30 P. M. from Newport stops at Rocky Point each way.

The regular boat, leaving Newport at 8.30 A. M., stops at Conanicut Park, Prudence and Rocky Point Tuesdays and Fridays only.

POPULAR RATES OF FARE.

Providence and Return, only	60 cents
Rocky Point and Return,	40 cents

Children half price.

N. F. HALLETT, Supt.

HORSES

—AND—

CARRIAGES

Horses of all kinds on hand, for sale or to exchange. Also a number of Ponies suitable for village carts and children.

Carriages of all kinds on hand and receiving new ones each week direct from the manufacturers, consisting in part of Sidebar, Elliptic and Harper Spring Carryalls, Canopy Top Phaetons, Side-bar, Corning and Pineton Buggies, Express and Democrat Wagons.

A Full Leather Top Carryall for $175.

A FULL SIDE BAR BUGGY, WARRANTED, FOR ONLY $115.

A NEW SIDE-BAR OPEN BUGGY $70.

NEWPORT VILLAGE CART, WARRANTED, ONLY $100.

Newport, Canterbury, Surry, Cottage, Dog Road, and all varieties of Village Carts, including the Cottage Cart on Clarkson's patent spring which is motionless, at manufacturers' prices.

Having taken the agency of the Cortland Wagon Co., of Cortland, N. Y., for Newport county, I am prepared to offer the best Top and No-top Buggy, Newport style Village Carts, and Road Carts that is made in the United States for the money; all of them warranted.—Call and see my stock before purchasing, and compare my prices with others.

Now if you want a carriage or horse call and see me and I will show you how small amount of money it takes to get a team.

Horses and carriages of all kinds to let by the season, month or single trip. Prices reasonable.

LAWTON'S

Livery, Sale and Boarding Stable, and Carriage Repository,

23, 25, 27, 29, 31 & 33 MARLBORO' ST.

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.

CURE

Sick Headache and relieve all the troubles incident to a bilious state of the system, such as Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Distress after eating, Pain in the Side, &c. While their most remarkable success has been shown in curing

SICK

Headache, yet Carter's Little Liver Pills are equally valuable in Constipation, curing and preventing this annoying complaint, while they also correct all disorders of the stomach, stimulate the liver and regulate the bowels. Even if they only cured

HEAD

Ache they would be almost priceless to those who suffer from this distressing complaint, but fortunately their goodness does not end here, and those who once try them will find these little pills valuable in so many ways that they will not be willing to do without them. But after all sick head

ACHE

is the bane of so many lives that here is where we make our great boast. Our pills cure it while others do not.

Carter's Little Liver Pills are very small and very easy to take. One or two pills make a dose. They are strictly vegetable and do not gripe or purge, but by their gentle action please all who use them. In vials at 25 cents; five for $1. Sold by druggists everywhere, or sent by mail.

CARTER MEDICINE CO.,
New York City.

Sold by J. E. GROFF, Agent, 210 Thames rent, corner Prospect Hill street.

A positive cure for Dandruff, Falling of the Hair and every kind of Scalp Disease

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It will give you a Luxuriant Head of Hair. Sold by Druggists & dealers in Toilet Articles. T. W. MANSFIELD, Jr. Sta., Portland, Maine.

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Can be taken off or put on as quickly as the collar alone. A perfect fit, and never humples or breaks when stooping or bending.

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WANTED—LADIES TO TAKE OUR NEW Fancy work at their homes, in city or country, and earn $6 to $12 per week, making goods for our Summer and Fall trade. Send 15c. for sample and particulars. HUDSON MF'G. CO., 265 Sixth Ave., New York.

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ON 30 DAYS' TRIAL.

THE VOLTAIC BELT CO., Marshall, Mich., will send DR. DYE'S CELEBRATED ELECTRO-VOLTAIC BELTS and ELECTRIC APPLIANCES on trial for 30 days to men (young or old) who are afflicted with Nervous Debility, Lost Vitality, and Kindred Troubles, guaranteeing speedy and complete restoration of health and manly vigor. Address as above. N. B.—No risk is incurred, as 30 days' trial is allowed.

Administrator's Notice.

THE SUBSCRIBER having been appointed by the Honorable Court of Probate of Portsmouth, and duly qualified Administrator on the estate of Richard Field, late of Portsmouth, deceased, hereby gives notice to all those indebted to make payment, and those having claims against said estate to present them to him. JONATHAN A. SISSON, Administrator.

Portsmouth, June 16, 1883. 6-16-3w

Administrators' Notice.

THE SUBSCRIBERS, having been appointed by the Hon. Court of Probate of the town of Jamestown, Administrators on the estate of T. CONGDON WATSON, late of Jamestown, deceased, and having been qualified according to law, requests all persons having demands to present them, and all indebted to make payment to either of the subscribers.

GEORGE C. CARR,
STEPHEN A. WATSON,
Administrators.

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Legal Notices.

THE CITY OF NEWPORT.

NOTICE

To Dealers in Spirituous and Malt Liquors.

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons intending to apply for licenses to sell spirituous and intoxicating or malt liquors within the limits of the city of Newport, from and after July 1st next, that their applications must be made

Previous to Saturday, June 23.

Blanks, for applications and bonds, will be found at the City Clerk's office.

JAMES B. BRAYTON,
June 15, 1883. City Marshal.

Administrator's Sale of

REAL ESTATE.

BY VIRTUE of a power of sale to me granted, by the Court of Probate of the town of Portsmouth, in the State of Rhode Island, &c., by decree bearing date April 24, A. D. 1883, and entered in the Records of said Court, I will sell at public auction on the premises hereinafter described, on TUESDAY, the 26th day of June, A. D. 1883, at ten o'clock A. M., all the right, title and interest whatever, which William J. Carter, late of said Portsmouth, deceased, had at the time of his death, in and to a certain lot or tract of land situated in the town of Middletown, in said State, containing about twelve acres, be the same more or less, and bounded thus, to wit: Northerly, by the center of a driftway leading from Wapping road, through the farm late of Gideon Peckham to the East shore; Easterly, by land of Clara B., wife of Robert J. Grinnell; Southerly, by land of the Providence Institution for Savings, and Westerly, by land of Charles A. Peckham, or however otherwise bounded.—Conditions made known at the time and place of sale. SAMUEL A. CARTER, Administrator.

Portsmouth, R. I., May 26, 1883—5w

Notice

IS HEREBY GIVEN that the subscribers have been duly appointed executors of the will of JOSEPH OSBORN, late of Tiverton, in the county of Newport, State of Rhode Island, deceased, and have taken upon themselves that trust by giving bond, as the law directs, all persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are hereby required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

HENRY O. OSBORN,
ELIZA G. OSBORN, } Executors.

Tiverton, R. I., June 1, 1883. 6-2-6w

Court of Probate, City of Newport, June 11, 1883.

ON THE PETITION, in writing, of Emma Goffe presented this day, praying that an instrument in writing presented therewith, purporting to be the last will and testament of

ELIZABETH GOFFE,

late of Newport, deceased, may be proved, approved, allowed and recorded, and that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the said Emma Goffe, the executrix named therein:

It is ordered that the consideration of said petition be referred to Monday, the 23d day of July, 1883, at 10 o'clock, A. M., at the Probate Office in the City Hall, Newport, and that notice thereof be given to all persons interested by publishing a copy of this decree in the *Newport Mercury*, once a week at least, for fourteen days.

ALEX. N. BARKER,
6-16 Probate Clerk.

Court of Probate, City of Newport, June 11, 1883.

WILLIAM GILPIN, administrator on the estate of

MARY E. BABCOCK,

late of Newport, deceased, presents his second account with the estate of said deceased, and prays that the same may be examined and allowed, and for an order of distribution of the balance shown therein to the heirs at law of said deceased.

It is ordered that the consideration of said account be referred to Monday, the 23d day of July, 1883, at 10 o'clock, A. M., at the Probate Office, in the City Hall, Newport, and that notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by publishing a copy of this decree in the *Newport Mercury*, once a week at least, for fourteen days.

ALEX. N. BARKER,
6-16 Probate Clerk.

Court of Probate, City of Newport, June 11, 1883.

THE COMMISSIONERS heretofore appointed to receive and examine the claims of the creditors on the estate of

MARY ANN ELDRIDGE,

late of Newport, deceased, represented insolvent, present their report:

It is ordered that the consideration of said report be referred to Monday, the 23d day of July, 1883, at 10 o'clock, A. M., at the Probate Office, in the City Hall, Newport, and that notice thereof be given to all persons interested by publishing a copy of this decree in the *Newport Mercury*, once a week at least, for fourteen days.

ALEX. N. BARKER,
6-16 Probate Clerk.

Court of Probate, Middletown, R. I., March 13th, A. D. 1883.

ON THE PETITION, in writing, of George A. Brown, presented this day, representing that

DANIEL McCARTY,

a native of Ireland, a farm laborer, about thirty years of age, about five feet ten inches in height, of sandy complexion and stout build, resided in this town for several months next preceding the 18th of June, A. D. 1861; that he left the town and State at that date, and has ever since been absent therefrom, and the petitioner has no proof of his being alive, and that when he so departed he left personal estate in the town which needs to be administered upon, and was indebted to the petitioner; and praying this court to appoint him, or some other suitable person, administrator on the estate of said Daniel McCarty:

It is ordered that the consideration of said petition be referred to the third Monday in July, 1883, at one o'clock, P. M., at the town Hall in Middletown, R. I., and that notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by publishing a copy of this decree in the *Rhode Island Press*, a weekly paper published in Providence, for three months, in every issue thereof, and in the *Newport Mercury* for the same time, and also by posting up copies thereof in three or more public places in this town for said three months.

ALBERT L. CHASE,
3-31-3m Probate Clerk.

Administrator's Notice.

THE SUBSCRIBER having been appointed by the Honorable Court of Probate of Newport, Administrator on the estate of GRACE NEWTON, late of Newport, deceased, and having been qualified according to law, requests all persons having demands to present them, and all indebted to make payment to him.

GEORGE NEWTON,
6-16 Administrator.

Administrator's Notice.

THE SUBSCRIBER having been appointed by the Honorable Court of Probate of Newport, administrator with will annexed, on the estate of JOHN F. TENNANT, late of Newport, deceased, and having been qualified according to law, requests all persons having demands to present them, and all indebted to make payment to him.

AUGUSTUS P. SHERMAN,
6-16 Adm'r with will annexed.

Administrator's Notice.

THE SUBSCRIBER, having been appointed by the Honorable Court of Probate of Newport, Administrator on the estate of FREDERICK W. TOMPKINS, late of Newport, deceased, and having been qualified according to law, requests all persons having demands to present them, and all indebted to make payment to him. FREDERICK TOMPKINS,
6-9 Administrator.

Guardian's Notice.

THE UNDERSIGNED, having been duly appointed by the Honorable Court of Probate of the city of Newport, guardian of the persons and estates of ELIZABETH B. PECKHAM and ELLEN T. PECKHAM, minors of Newport, hereby gives notice to all persons having claims against said estates to present them within six months from the date hereof, and those indebted to make payment to her.

MARY H. PECKHAM,
Guardian.

Newport, R. I. May 7, 1883. 5-12

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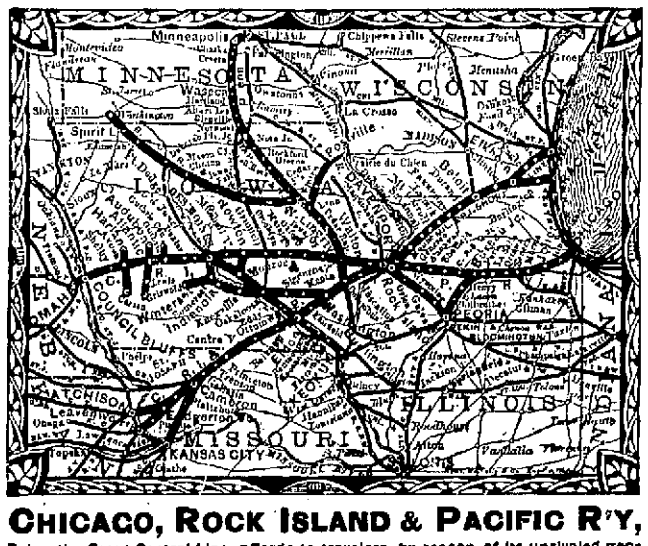

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QUARTERLY REVIEW.

GOLDEN TEXT.—And as ye go, preach, saying, the kingdom of heaven is at hand.

TIME, A. D. 37—49.

In the course of his narrative, the sacred historian pauses to give an account of two incidents of great importance in the early history of the planting of Christianity. One is the work done by Philip, the Evangelist, and the other is the conversion of Saul of Tarsus, whom we have seen to be one of the foremost and fiercest persecutors of the disciples of Christ. When the disciples at Jerusalem heard of the religious interest in Samaria, they sent Peter and John to inquire into it and give such counsel and assistance as might seem necessary. Under their labors the Holy Spirit was bestowed upon the Samaritan converts. Simon seems still to have regarded Christianity as a higher form of magical art, and offered to give the apostles money if they would teach him the secret of imparting the Holy Spirit by the laying on of hands. Peter rebuked him severely, assuring him that his heart was not right in the sight of God. In the midst of the gracious work in Samaria, Philip was sent by an angel of the Lord to a lonely road leading from Jerusalem toward Gaza. There he fell in with an Ethiopian officer, journeying homeward from Jerusalem where he had been attending to religious observances. The nobleman was reading the book of Isaiah as he rode, and when Philip asked him if he understood the prophet's words, he invited him to ride with him and explain the book to him. Philip then began at the very place where the man was reading and "preached Jesus" unto him. The result was that he was converted and asked Philip why he might not be baptized. Philip told him that he might if he believed with all his heart. The Ethiopian declared his belief in Jesus Christ as the Son of God. Philip then baptized him, and the man went on his way rejoicing.

With similar abruptness, Luke goes on to tell of the conversion of Saul. In his zeal against the disciples, he procured a commission from the high priest, giving him authority to go to Damascus and arrest any disciples whom he might find, and bring them to Jerusalem for punishment. When he was near Damascus he was stopped by a sudden flashing of light, of dazzling brightness, and heard a voice calling him to an account for his wickedness. After a remarkable experience, he was thoroughly converted and became as gentle and humble as a little child. He very soon began to work for a new Master and to "preach the faith which once he destroyed."

After some further account of Saul, the history of Peter is again resumed. He seems to have gone on a preaching tour among the towns and cities of Judea, in the course of which he came to Lydda, where he restored to Eneas the use of his palsied limbs; at Joppa, he raised to life a good woman, named Dorcas, whose death had caused great sorrow among her friends. Soon after this he had a remarkable vision, designed to teach him that all men are alike before God, and he was soon called to preach the gospel to Cornelius, a Roman centurion at Cæsarea, who was converted, with several members of his household.

Barnabas was sent out by the church at Jerusalem to visit these places and continue the good work thus begun. When he came to Antioch, then a populous and prosperous commercial city, he found much to make him glad. There was an open door for preaching to the Gentiles. He soon went to Tarsus to get Saul to come and help him. It was there, and during that time, that the disciples were first called Christians. About that time Herod Agrippa I. came to the hight of his power and seemed anxious to display his zeal and willingness to please the Jews in some way. In the midst of his persecutions he killed James, the brother of John, and also arrested Peter. As it was just at the time of the Passover, he put him in prison, intending to complete the work after the feast. From this prison Peter was released by an angel of the Lord, in a most wonderful manner. Antioch became the center of these operations, as Jerusalem had been of the work among and in behalf of the Jews. A strong church seems to have grown up in that city, and it was most favorably located for being the base of operations among the tribes and nations of Asia Minor, Southern Europe, and Northern Africa. Here the Holy Spirit called for Barnabas and Saul, two of the ablest preachers and workers then living, for this new work, and they were set apart for it, by suitable and solemn religious services.

They went first to Cyprus, visiting important places until they reached Paphos, the capital, where Sergius Paulus, the governor, was converted. Here Saul's name was changed to Paul, and by that name he was ever after known. From Cyprus they went northward to the mainland, and preached in many towns and cities in Asia Minor, in the provinces of Pamphylia, Pisidia and Lycaonia. At Antioch in Pisidia, they preached with great power and success. At Iconium many, hearing them, believed and, notwithstanding there was much opposition they remained a long time. At length, however, an assault was made upon them, and they went to Lystra, where Paul wrought a notable miracle, healing a man who had never walked. The superstitious people thought they were gods in the form of men and would have offered sacrifices to them, but Paul and Barnabas prevented that and preached unto them the living God. At length, after a long, wearisome and dangerous journey, the first missionaries sent forth by the Christian church to labor among the heathen returned to the place from which they went forth, gathered the church together and gave an account of all that they had done, and how God had opened the door of faith unto the Gentiles. And they remained for a long time enjoying the fellowship of the disciples.

For the Children.

Hassan's Watermelon.

A TURKISH STORY.

There are few pleasanter places in the world than the hills of Western Anatolia, and the daintly little white villages that look down upon the bright blue waters of the Bosphorus form a maze of clustering vineyards and sunny melon-patches. But three hundred and fifty years ago, it was a very different matter.

Then, all these shady gardens and green hillsides were one great mass of savage forest, through which fierce beasts and fiercer men roamed at will. The town of Brusa shut and barred its gates, in those days, the moment the glow of sunset began to fade from the great, white dome of Mount Olympus overhead. At night, the howl of Syrian wolves could be heard close under the walls, and robbers haunted every road.

But there was one man who seemed to fear neither wolf nor robber, cultivating his little garden on the slope of the mountain, and trudging into the town to sell his fruit, as coolly as if he had been in the heart of Constantinople. Many people told him that he would certainly be robbed or eaten up some day; but Hassan, like a sturdy old Turk as he was, only answered that no man can avoid his destiny, and went on just the same as before, raising and selling his fruit, and providing food for himself and his little girl, the only other inhabitant of the clay hovel, and jogged along, altogether, contentedly enough.

Now it happened that one day he had in his garden a fine melon, so much bigger than all the rest that he made up his mind not to sell it, but to keep it as a birthday treat for his little Fatima.

Old Hassan was sitting watching it, one hot afternoon, as he smoked his long pipe in the shade, and listened to the tinkle of the tiny stream that kept his little plot alive, when suddenly the garden door opened, and in came three men, with guns on their shoulders and long spears in their hands.

Hassan's first thought was that the robbers were upon him at last; but one glance showed him that the new-comers, roughly-dressed and dusty though they were, did not look in the least like brigands. Two of them were fine-looking men of middle age, whose long, dark beards were just beginning to turn gray. The third was a tall, handsome young man with large, black eyes, who said courteously:

"Peace be with thee, father. We have been hunting on the mountain, and have lost our way; tell me, I pray you, how far it is to Brusa."

"It lies right before you," answered Hassan, rising at once to receive them, like a hospitable old fellow as he was; "and when you have rested awhile, I will gladly guide you thither. But first, I pray you, sit down and repose yourselves, and take of such food as I can offer."

"That will we do gladly, for we have fasted since sunrise," said the youth, seating himself; "and we shall be well served with some bread and a slice of yon melon; a finer I have never seen!"

This was more than poor Hassan had bargained for, and he looked ruefully at the splendid fruit, his little daughter's promised treat. But it was not in his nature to deny anything to a tired and hungry guest, and in a trice the cherished melon was vanishing piece by piece down the strangers' throats, while Hassan stood by with a gallant attempt to smile.

But little Fatima did not take the matter so quietly by any means, and suddenly broke down in a burst of sobs and tears.

"Ha! what means this?" asked the youngster hunter, looking up from his meal. Hassan tried to avoid an explanation, but there was something in the young huntsman's look and tone that was not easy to resist, and at last the whole truth came out.

"And thou hast given thy child's chosen fruit rather than seem inhospitable?" cried the guest admiringly. "Would to Heaven all men followed the Prophet's teaching like thee! then should I have a quieter life of it. How say ye, friends? What doth this man deserve?"

But before his comrades could answer, the garden gate flew open again, and the whole place was filled with richly-dressed men, who threw themselves at the young stranger's feet, crying: "God be praised, we have found the Commander of the Faithful, safe and sound!"

"Purse-bearer," said the huntsman, pointing to Hassan, who stood petrified at the discovery that his strange guest was no other than the Sultan himself, "give this man a hundred zecchins, to show him that Solyman leaves no good deed unrequited. And as for thee, little one," he added, hanging around Fatima's neck the gold chain that fastened his girdle, "let this comfort thee for the loss of thy melon. Had I a daughter like thee, my palace would not seem so lonely."

And away he swept toward Brusa with his retinue.

Now when the governor of Brusa, a mean, greedy fellow, heard of Hassan's luck, he at once picked out the finest horse in his stables, and away he went post-haste to present it to the Sultan, expecting to get something very good in return.

"Thou hast deserved a good reward, my servant," said the Sultan, with a twinkling eye; for he saw through the man in a moment. "Yesterday, I paid a hundred gold pieces for this melon; I give thee the goodly fruit in exchange for thy horse!"

You may fancy how the governor looked, and what a hard time his household had that night, though he took good care to tell no one what had made him so angry. But the story got abroad, nevertheless, and for years afterward, "Hassan's melon" was a proverb throughout the whole district.—David Ker, in St. Nicholas.

The Newport Mercury.

JOHN P. SANBORN, Editor and Proprietor

SATURDAY, JUNE 23, 1883.

General McClellan says he is not a candidate for the Presidency. Glad he told us.

A southern judge in the U. S. Court has decided that the Civil Rights act is unconstitutional.

The Democrats of Ohio have nominated Judge Hoadley of Cincinnati, for Governor.

General Sherman has started on a tour of inspection of the troops and fortifications along our northwestern frontier.

Jefferson Davis is described as aging fast; he being wan, white-haired, and feeble, with a bent figure. He is seventy-five years old.

Harvard easily beat Columbia in the boat race at New London, Wednesday. Harvard and Yale try for the championship of college boating, next Wednesday.

They had a terrific thunder storm in Eastern Maine Thursday. Buildings were destroyed and several persons prostrated. The river rose two feet in five hours. The quickest rise on record.

The Boston Post says that it is "nonsense to talk about Governor Butler as the present choice of the masses of the democratic party for President of the United States." They may have to swallow him, nevertheless.

A Massachusetts jury thought the young man was not idiotic, but the next thing to it, for the verdict reads "Not a confirmed idiot, but smokes cigarettes." A fine distinction, but one likely to end in smoke.

The newly appointed Commissioner of Internal Revenue, Evans, seems to be reforming backwards. He thinks Kentucky has been left out in the appointments in his department, so he proposes to oust good men to make room for his friends. The country will hardly agree to this arrangement.

King Caucus seems to be gradually losing his power over the rank and file of parties. Rhode Island dethroned him long ago, and now there seem to be very rebellious subjects in New Hampshire. About eighty members of the New Hampshire legislature refuse to vote for Senator Rollins, the caucus nominee for U. S. Senator.

Advices from Honolulu indicate that the Hawaiian Islands may be the scene of changes very soon. The Attorney General has recently resigned, and the rest of the ministry is likely to follow his example. The people are very much disturbed over the influx of over 3000 Chinaman during the past three months.

Floods in Kansas and Nebraska are likely to do an immense amount of damage. The Platte river, which extends for several hundred miles along the southern border of Nebraska, and which in ordinary times is a quiet little stream of harmless proportions, is now swollen to a turbid river several miles in width. Wheat and corn are badly damaged, and many cattle and hogs have been drowned.

The New Hampshire legislature took its second ballot for U. S. Senator Wednesday, with the following result: Edward H. Rollins (Rep.) 113, Harry Brigham (Dem.) 119, A. F. Stevens, (Rep.) 17, James W. Patterson (Rep.) 29, James F. Briggs (Rep) 29, Gilman Marston (Rep.) 11, scattering 7. The result was so unsatisfactory that the convention voted to take no more ballots till next Tuesday, when it is thought that Rollins, the machine candidate, will have even a poorer show for an election than he had on the last ballot.

Engineer-in-Chief Anderson, of the Northern Pacific Railroad, telegraphs that the erection of the high trestle a few miles west of Missoula was successfully completed on Saturday, June 16. The completion of this trestle-work, which is 2260 feet high and 866 feet long, and which required 1,200,000 feet of lumber in its construction, insures the completion of the road by the end of August. There is now no other obstacle in the way of completing the road by the time indicated. The Northern Pacific Railroad Company are now billing freight from the East all rail to Helena, the capital of Montana.

A writer in the Baltimore American goes for Captain Ramsay, Commandant of the U. S. Naval Academy, at Annapolis, in a vigorous style, for the discipline of the graduating class last week. The writer after commenting of the action of Capt. Ramsay in this case says: Go to the academy itself and note the changes that have taken place in the management of that institution since the very first day Capt. Ramsay set his foot upon the grounds. Not only has he ruled with an iron rod, not only has he exercised his tyranny in an unwarrantable manner (as on Saturday), but he has done much more; he has taken from the cadets many of the privileges which they had hitherto enjoyed under his predecessors, and which, please bear in mind, were never abused; he has subjected them to all sorts of indignities and caused them any number of humiliations. These are the causes which have led to the troubles at the Naval Academy.

A Terrible Calamity.

NEARLY 200 CHILDREN KILLED IN SUNDERLAND, ENGLAND, WHILE ATTEMPTING TO LEAVE THE HALL WHERE THEY HAD BEEN TO WITNESS A CONJURER'S EXHIBITION—IMPROPER MEANS OF EXIT THE CAUSE.

A terrible accident occurred at Victoria Hall in the town of Sunderland, England, last Saturday evening, which caused the death of over 200 children. A Conjurer's exhibition had been given in the hall, and was attended almost wholly by children, whose ages ranged from 4 to 14 years. The stairways leading to the gallery were only about five or six feet wide. A bolt had been placed in the floor at the top of the first flight of stairs so as to prevent the door from opening over 20 inches, thus making it impossible for more than one to pass through at a time. This had been done for the purpose of facilitating the ticket taking when the audiance was going in, and had not been changed. At the close of the entertainment the large audiance hastened to get out to recieve the prizes which were to be given out below. The body of the hall had been cleared of its occupants, when some 1200 of the little ones came rushing down stairs from the gallery and when they got to this doorway through which only one could pass at a time, a terrible jam occurred. At this point one child fell down and was unable to rise, owing to the crowd pushing on. Not knowing of the trouble at the door-way the multitude pressed on from the rear, and the result was that a great number were pushed down, trampled on and suffocated. The scene was terrible in the extreme, and no effort could stop the mad rush of excited children.

Many of the victims and others who were not killed had their clothing torn off and their bodies bruised and mangled, so terrible was the struggle. As the news of the awful disaster spread through the town the excitement became terrific and the hall was soon surrounded by 20,000 people. The excitement was so intense as to necessitate the calling out of the military to preserve order.

When the disaster happened the janitor and his wife and several hastily summoned bystanders went to work immediately to give the sufferers relief. They first sent out of the building by other exit ways, the little ones who were still in the hall, by this means averting the fears of a further crush. Those who went to the rescue of the unfortunate sufferers, found the work of removing the heap of bruised, crushed and suffocated bodies no easy task. Two hundred children were rescued from the pile practically uninjured. Many others were found in an unconscious condition, but of these a number were restored and immediately taken to their homes. Nearly all those who were dead, with a number whose wounds were regarded as fatal, were laid out in the main hall, when the local doctors in attendance used every effort to restore those in whom a spark of life could be detected. The parents of those killed were admitted for the purpose of identifying the bodies of their children. Most heart-rending scenes transpired while the work of identification was in progress. The mothers of the dead children constantly uttered piercing shrieks, and many of them fainted on discovering the bodies of their little ones.

Some of the families whose homes were so suddenly darkened, lost over three children. One man and his wife pushed their way into the hall in which lay the bodies of the victims, and without betraying any emotion began to scan the faces of the dead. Recognizing the face of one of his children the father pointing with his finger, exclaimed, "That's one." Passing on again he recognized another, and then a third. Staggering in a fit of agony, he cried, "My God, all my family gone," and overwhelmed with grief, sank to the floor.

A Disgraceful Scene at New Haven.

Steamer Grand Republic arrived at New Haven, Conn., Sunday afternoon with about 2000 excursionists from New York. The party were landed at Bell dock where a large crowd of New Haveners had congregated to recieve them. A drunken excursionist, who was blocking up the narrow gangway, was arrested by a New Haven policeman, when a rush was made from the steamer to rescue the prisoner. The officers (there were only two present) fought manfully to hold their man and quell the riot, but were overpowered by numbers, and the prisoner was taken from them and carried on board the boat which put off as soon as possible. The officers and others were severely bruised and cut about their heads and faces from being hit with pieces of coal and other missels thrown by the rioters.

President John Taylor, of the Utah Mormons, resides in the fine mansion that Brigham Young erected for his favorite young wife, Amelia. His children number thirty. He was with Joseph and Hiram Smith at their death at Carthage, Ill., and carries three bullets now received then.

Pierre Lorillard has presented to the Smithsonian Institution at Washington the collection of antiquities brought from Mexico and Central America by Desire Charnay.

Nothing is sacred in New York; not even the "sacred concerts" that are given at the Casino by opera bouffe singers Sundays.—*New Orleans Picayune.*

Drifting 1600 Miles.

FIVE OUT OF SIX MEN IN A WHALE-BOAT DROWNED IN SIGHT OF LAND AND SAFETY.

A whaleboat, which was formerly one of the ship's boats of the United States ship Saginaw, which was wrecked in the South Pacific ocean in 1868, will be taken to the Smithsonian Institute, at Washington, in the Tulapoosa. There is a very interesting history connected with this boat. When the Saginaw was wrecked, a lot of provisions, a few boats and other articles were carried to a small island, where the men who were saved from the wreck lived for a few weeks. In course of time one of the boats was housed over, and an officer and five men were picked out to man it and go in search of assistance. The chosen men were sailmakers' mate, J. G. Talbot; able seamen, J. Andrews, J. Muir and P. Francis and Gunner W. Halford. The party, after drifting 1600 miles, arrived at a small town on the coast of California. While trying to beach the boat the breakers capsized it and all the men but Halford were drowned. Halford succeeded in gaining the shore and waited awhile, and the boat being washed to the beach he succeeded in obtaining the papers of introduction to the United States consul. Orders were at once given to send aid, which, after many days, reached the shipwrecked men. When the rescuers found them the castaways were out of provisions, and were engaged in building boats for their departure. The boat in which the five men were lost is a common whale boat, twenty-five feet in length, seven and one-half feet in breadth, and is four feet deep. It is covered over with green timber and canvas and has four hatches on the top, in which the men could sit and row. The names of the drowned men, as mentioned above, are seen carved on the woodwork on each of the hatches occupied by them, which was probably done with a jack knife.

Sons of Temperance.

At a stated meeting of Atlantic Division No. 6, Sons of Temperance, held Wednesday evening, June 20th, the following preamble and resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, At the May session of the General Assembly held in this city, the law providing that no one shall be licensed to sell intoxicating liquors within 400 feet of any school house, was practically repealed by the substitution of 200 feet for 400 feet, and

Whereas, Said law, as it stood on the Statute book, seemed to us inimical to the interests of those alone who are willing to expose innocent children to the demoralizing influences which surround all dram shops, and

Whereas, The law as it now exists was introduced and advocated by a member of the Legislature from this city and voted for by several other members from this city, therefore be it

Resolved, That Atlantic Division No. 6, S. of T. wishes to express, in the most emphatic manner, its disapprobation of the action of William P. Sheffield, Esq., in introducing and advocating the law as it now stands, and of the action of Messrs. Henry H. Fay and William C. Townsend in voting for the same.

Resolved, That Atlantic Division recommend all persons who have the welfare of the children in our public schools at heart to rebuke the action of the aforesaid members from Newport at the polls whenever and wherever an opportunity may be given them to do so.

Resolved, That the thanks of this Division and of all good citizens, are due to Hon. T. Mumford Seabury, Senator, and to Representatives Charles C. Van Zandt and Clark H. Burdick, for their opposition by voice and vote to the change in the law.

[*For the Mercury.*]

The Oyster Question.

In the MERCURY of May 19, under the heading of "Price of Lobsters," all lovers of these fish are reminded there is a prospect of not being able to have their "Staple Sunday dinner" without "paying a price disproportionate to other kinds of food." As if they could have all other staple dinners without paying such a price, but could not have lobsters, because "twenty years ago they could be bought for three cents a pound and to-day they are eight." If this logic is true we shall have to do without a good many other "staple dinners" and suppers, too, for there are many kinds of food, which have advanced in price much more than lobsters have, and are used for a great many more "staple dinners" than lobsters are, also.

Molasses has gone from thirty cents to eighty cents a gallon, and there must be a prospect that all lovers of this saccharine matter, who have it for a staple article in their Sunday morning sweet-cake, "will have to do without it or pay a price disproportionate to other kinds of food." Potatoes have gone from thirty cents a bushel up to one dollar and thirty cents a bushel, consequently all lovers of the baked potato will have to do ditto. And so I might go on.

In fact all lovers of most anything must look with tears in their eyes, when they compare prices of the past with those of the present, and they might as well wipe them dry again and conclude lobsters have not gone up so much higher than everything else after all. The "sole cause," it says, is "over fishing." This is mere assertion without logic. It would be about as true to say the "sole cause" of the high price of molasses and potatoes is owing to "over fishing," because if the fishermen would only raise sugar cane and potatoes we should have more in the market. But it is not the "sole cause" of either and I may write a special article with logic, gathered by a fisherman of fifty years experience in the business to prove it. The strangest part of the paper referred to is, that three Massachusetts men could so disturb the "complacency" of the citizens of Rhode Island, as to be misrepresented in a paper, the oldest, and ought to be the best, in the country. If the profits of their labor could "inure wholly to the benefit of the citizens of Rhode Island," then the citizen who wrote the misrepresentation could bear it in "some degree" probably. Does he or she know that two-thirds of their profits goes into the pockets of the citizens of Rhode Island? Does said citizen know that Massachusetts sends more lobsters into the State of Rhode Island than her citizens are able to catch themselves? And does said citizen know that little Rhoda, in all her glory, is not arrayed with power enough to supply her own citizens with the "staple Sunday dinner" without the aid of Massachusetts men?—With these facts in view, the fling at Massachusetts men comes with an ill grace, from a place like Newport, that depends so largely upon non-residents and outsiders for success and support. Rhode Island, and every other island, should welcome all temperate, industrious laborers, even if they belong to Massachusetts (whose only fault seems to be that they come from that State) for labor is the back bone of liberty, wealth and prosperity, and Rhode Island needs it for her future glory and renown, to develop her resources, become her citizens, and become subscribers to the MERCURY, so that it can sustain the honor of R. I. citizens, and of us all as American citizens now and forever.

A. W. W.

Ten business houses and three residences in Huntingdon, Texas, were burned Monday. Loss $40,000.

The old Coddington Mill chimney was leveled Thursday. It was some seventy feet high.

A FOURTH OF JULY BEVERAGE.

How often we hear sentimentalists sighing for the good old days that are gone, and how absurd for them to do so! Our forefathers knew how to die but not how to live.

In nothing is our happier fate more clearly shown than by the famous and strikingly popular HUB PUNCH. In the days of our Revolutionary sires—good men, patriots, heroes, and all that granted—how few could brew (to use the technical phrase) a punch that was even worth a memory? The sharp acidity of the lemon, the clinging sweetness of the sugar, the fierce spirit of the Jamaica, the fiery influence of the brandy, or the weakening influence of the water, all were feared, and a nervous head or an impaired taste made all the party miserable for the whole day. Now, if George Washington were here he would quietly step around to his grocer and order a bottle of HUB PUNCH, have it cooled on the ice, and telling his family that he was going to muse over the teachings of history, repair to the cool shades of Independence Square, slip into a quiet nook, take off his continental coat, undo his adjustable neck-tie, tie up in his India silk handkerchief his frilled shirt bosom, remove his gauffered shirt cuffs, and then gaze with a prophetic eye down the valley of future Republican glory with a jorum full of punch. Happy sires! Happy land! Thrice happier ourselves, with the Fourth of July and Hub Punch (the perfection of beverages) at hand! This renowned Punch is bottled by Chester H. Graves & Sons, Boston, and is for sale in all parts of the world. Ready on opening.

In the Belmont-Devoy libel case "Schonberg" is the name which Devoy alleges was once borne by Mr. Belmont.

Boats, Bicycles and Hay Fever.

Nature has resolved that all the people shall not enjoy themselves at once. With the opening of the season of outdoor sports comes the time of trouble for the poor victims of Hay Fever. For them flowers have no odor, and the summer little or no beauty. To snuff, sneeze and wipe their weeping eyes for three or four successive months;—this is their pitiable portion. Whether this form of Catarrh is called Hay Fever, Hay Cold, Rose Cold or Rose Fever, makes no difference; they suffer just the same. There is no help in sea voyages, there is no help in high mountain air. These only lighten the pocket and leave the disease unabated. But there is a positive cure in Ely's Cream Balm. We could cram these columns with grateful letters of the rescued. Try it and join them. If you continue to suffer it is because you neglect a remedy as sure as it is cheap and pleasant.—50 cents.

Efforts for Republican harmony do not appear to harmonize. Perhaps they will, however, after election.

Armed to the Teeth

Is a very common expression, but we think that armed to embellish and preserve them to a ripe old age is decidedly more appropriate. This can be done by keeping yourself supplied with a bottle of that splendid dentifrice, Fragrant SOZODONT, which will beautify the teeth and preserve them from the ravages of decay. SOZODONT contains no acids or gritty substances which injure the enamel, but is composed of rare and antiseptic herbs, which have a beneficial effect on the whole economy of the mouth. Sold by druggists.

Ministers, Lawyers, Teachers, and others whose occupation gives but little exercise, should use Carter's Little Liver Pills for torpid Liver and billiousness. One is a dose.

It is stated that Mr. Parnell will start on his proposed trip to America about the middle of September.

We think we can cure a bad case of Backache quicker with one of Carter's Smart Weed and Belladonna Backache Plasters, than by any other application, and after the Backache is cured, you can still wear the plaster without discomfort for two or three weeks or longer. This combination of Smart Weed and Belladonna is a great hit, and it is hard to find any pain or ache that will not yield to it. Price 25 cents. Sold by Druggists everywhere.

The entire town of Pomeroy, Calhoun county, Iowa, was burned on Saturday.

"Thought the Child would Die."

This is what the Sisters of the Home for Catholic Children, in Boston, said about a poor little child who was racking itself almost to death with whooping cough. The child was suddenly taken with severe spasms and vomiting, and with frightful pains in the head. The Sisters write: "We used PERRY DAVIS'S PAIN KILLER with the most astonishing results. In a few hours the disease was gone and the child was well."

The report that the letter carriers are expected to wear knee-breeches is sensational.

Rules

for the care of the sick. How to cure disease, its symptoms and causes, and other information of great value will be found in Old Dr. Kaufmann's great book; 100 pages, fine colored plates. Send two 3 cent stamps to pay postage to A. P. Ordway & Co., Boston, Mass., and receive a copy free.

The Massachusetts senate have voted $75,000 to Walter Shanley, the Hoosac tunnel contractor claimant.

Many horses have *wind-galls*. Nathaniel Morse, of Pembroke, Mass., says: "I have used Ellis's Spavin Cure on my horse for wind-galls, *with perfect success.*"

Belle Nugent has been arrested in New York charged with having tramped her three year old child to death while she was drunk.

"My horse walked on his toes for a year," writes W. J. Tuckerman, the well known horse man, "his trouble was a *contraction of the cords.* Ellis's Spavin Cure cured him."

Two Chilcot Indians have been sentenced to death in British Columbia for killing two Chinamen.

The motto that every customer shall be satisfied has won the high reputation of LEWANDO'S FRENCH DYE HOUSE, 17 Temple Place, Boston, U. S. A.

A very destructive cyclone visited Steubenville, O., Monday.

PILES.

Piles are frequently preceded by a sense of weight in the back, loins and lower part of the abdomen, causing the patient to suppose he has some affection of the kidneys or neighboring organs. At times, symptoms of indigestion are present, as flatulency, uneasiness of the stomach, etc. A moisture, like perspiration, producing a very disagreeable itching, particularly at night after getting warm in bed, is a very common attendant. Blind, bleeding and itching Piles yield at once to the application of Dr. Bosanko's Pile Remedy, which acts directly upon the parts affected, absorbing the Tumors, allaying the intense itching, and affecting a permanent cure, where all other remedies have failed. Do not delay until the drain on the system produces permanent disability, but try it and be cured. Price 50 cents. Sent prepaid on receipt of price. Address, The Dr. Bosanko Medicine Co., Piqua, Ohio. Sold by John E. Groff, agent, and B. F. Downing, Jr.

Pilot Commissioners finally conclude to be up with the times and allow the use of steam pilot boats.

The Government Chemist Analyzes two of the Leading Baking Powders, and what he finds them made of.

I have examined samples of "Cleveland's Superior Baking Powder" and "Royal Baking Powder," purchased by myself in this city, and I find they contain:

"Cleveland's Superior Baking Powder."
Cream of Tartar
Bicarbonate of Soda
Flour

Available carbonic acid gas 12.62 per cent. equivalent to 118.2 cubic inches of gas per oz. of Powder.

"Royal Baking Powder."
Cream of Tartar
Bicarbonate of Soda
Carbonate of Ammonia
Tartaric Acid
Starch

Available carbonic acid gas 12.40 per cent. equivalent to 116.2 cubic inches of gas per oz. of Powder.

Ammonia gas 0.43 per cent. equivalent to 10.4 cubic inches per oz. of Powder.

Note.—The Tartaric Acid was doubtless introduced as free acid, but subsequently combined with ammonia, and exists in the Powder as a Tartrate of Ammonia.

E. G. LOVE, Ph. D.

NEW YORK, Jan'y 17th, 1881.

The above shows conclusively that "Cleveland's Superior" is a strictly pure Cream of Tartar Baking Powder. It has also been analyzed by Professor Johnson of Yale College; Dr. Genth of the University of Pennsylvania; President Morton of the Stevens Institute; Wm. M. Habirshaw, F. C. S., Analyst for the Chemical Trade of New York, and other eminent chemists, all of whom pronounce it absolutely pure and healthful.

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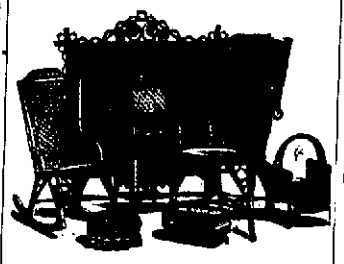

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Just Received, this day, 40 more of the

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This furniture is manufactured from the best-selected Canada Ash, is popular wherever sold, and is unquestionably the finest furniture made, for the price asked for it. A full line of these goods constantly on hand at

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NEWS OF THE WEEK.

From all Parts of the World.

Two Brothers Drowned.

June 18.—Two sons of Alexander Edminster, aged 13 and 19 years, were drowned Sunday at Dixmont by the sinking of a boat. Two companions swam ashore.

Executive Clemency.

Gov. Cleveland has commuted to imprisonment for life the sentence of Joshua Gifford, who was sentenced to be hanged at Oswego on Friday for the murder of his wife.

Immigration Statistics.

There arrived in May at the ten principal custom districts nearly 100,000 emigrants. The arrivals for the eleven months ending May 31, were 517,000, against 685,000 in the same months last year.

A Double Tragedy.

Monday afternoon Adolph Ehrke, a bricklayer, fired two bullets into his wife's head and then blew out his own brains, dying instantly. It is thought the woman cannot recover. The deed was committed because the woman had applied for a divorce.

An Embezzling Cashier.

Arthur H. Blaney, cashier and head bookkeeper of the Massachusetts Loan and Trust Company is under arrest for embezzling $44,000 of the Company's funds. He has confessed the crime, and states the cause to be mining and other stock speculations. Blaney is but 30 years old, is married, and has been in the employ of the concern some ten years. His steelings extend from November, 1880.

Lynching a Suspected Man.

PROSPECT, Tenn., June 20.—Last night James Trice, a clerk for Frank Campbell, was murdered with an axe and the store robbed. Wesley Warren, a negro, was arrested, and while the coroner was holding an inquest the crowd took Warren to the woods and hanged him to a tree.

Torn to Death on a Barbed Wire Fence.

VINCENNES, Ind., June 19.—Mrs. Martin Summers, while returning from church, was thrown from a wagon last night and instantly killed. She fell across a barbed wire fence, and was dragged along it for the distance of eight feet, leaving a strip of clothing and flesh on each barb.

Killed by a Blow of the Fist.

ONEIDA, O., June 19.—Frank McNamara and James Cannon, both employed at Clay's stove works in this place, got into a dispute as to the ownership of some shop tools this morning, when McNamara struck Cannon a terrible blow on the neck with his fist, killing him almost instantly. McNamara escaped.

New Orleans Must Pay Mrs. Gaines.

NEW ORLEANS, June 19.—Yesterday Judge Billings handed down a decision in Mrs. Gaine's case against the city for $2,000,000, which requires the city to levy and collect a tax of a fraction less than $2,000,000, less $40,000 already sequestered. The city officers have the choice of obeying the court or violating their oaths, and making themselves liable for contempt of court.

John Devoy at Blackwells Isle.

NEW YORK, June 19.—John Devoy, editor of the Irish Nation, was to-day sentenced to sixty days in the penitentiary for libel in the Belmont case. After being sentenced Devoy was taken to Blackwells Isle on the 1.30 boat.

A Duel Fought With Razors.

WADESBORO, N. C., June 19.—Near here to-day, Peter Horn and Isaac Ragan, negroes, quarrelled about a balance of $7. Horn went to Ragan's house to settle the matter. Both men were armed with razors and fought desperately. Horn so severely cut Ragan that he is hourly expected to die. Horn has fled the State.

Pronounced Insane by the Court.

BROOKLYN, June 19.—In the Supreme Court to-day Justice Cullen decided, in the case of Barrett H. Van Auken, the fifth avenue millionaire, now confined in a private lunatic asylum at Flushing, that Van Auken is insane, and a proper subject for confinement.

Settled by Lightning.

BAY ST. LOUIS, La., June 19.—While Philip Bandeau and M. Odom were standing under a small pine tree near the depot to-day disputing over a small account, both were instantly killed by a stroke of lightning.

California's Wheat Yield.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 19.—One of the most careful wheat computing firms here estimate that the wheat yield of California will be at least 56,000,000 bushels.

Damages for Personal Injury.

PLYMOUTH, Mass., June 18.—In the suit of George W. Humphreys against the Old Colony Railroad Company for $50,000 damages, for injuries received by the abrupt stoppage of a train, the jury this afternoon rendered a verdict of $10,500 for the plaintiff.

Little Rock's Disputed Title.

LITTLE ROCK, June 18.—United States Circuit Judge McCrary has decided in the case of the Philbrook heirs, who claim ownership of the land on which nearly all the city of Little Rock is built, that whatever the original merits of these claims, the claimants have slept too long on their rights and are now without remedy.

"Ten two boxes of Dr. Benson's Celery and Chamomile Pills cured a friend of neuralgia, whom the Drs. here couldn't help. I'll send for some for myself." Clifford Shand, Windsor, Nova Scotia.

Copley's saw mill near Luther, Lake county, Michigan, was burned Monday. Loss $15,000.

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HAMS (extra quality), **14c. per pound.**

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Good Butter, 22 and 27 cents per pound.

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Excelsior (the best in the market), $8.50 per barrel.

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Also a full line of Plain and Fancy Crackers, Bailey's Machine Bread, Cream Gems, Autumn Leaves, Seed Cookies and Amber Biscuit, etc.

Try the justly celebrated F. A. Ferris's

Machine Shaved Dried Beef.

Only 25 cents per pound, we shave it fresh to order.

Good old cheese, 12 cents per pound.

Lemons (nice ones), 25 cents per dozen.

Bermuda Onions, 4 cents per pound.

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I have the agency of the celebrated FITZPATRICK SHOE for gentlemen. This shoe has a fine reputation for comfort, and when once worn, people will have no other.

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2 Bottles Spavin Cure	2.00
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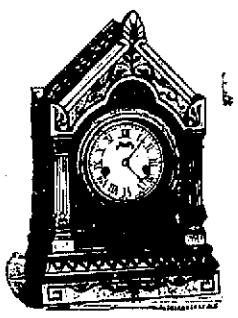

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CHARLES H. LANGLEY, Inspector.

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Poultry Raising as a Business.

Mr. P. A. Jacobs, a practical poultry man, writes as follows in the "American Agriculturist" for July: A flock of ten hens can be comfortably kept in a yard 20 feet wide by 50 feet deep. An acre of ground will contain forty such yards, or 400 hens. No cocks are necessary unless the eggs are desired for incubation. To estimate $1.50 as a clear profit from each hen, is not the maximum limit, but the profit accrues according to the management given. Poultry thrives best when running at large, but this applies only to small flocks. Hens kept by the hundred become too crowded while at large, no matter how wide the range, and sickness and loss occur. Large flocks must be divided, and the size of the yard required for a flock, is of but little importance compared with that of the management. There is much profit to be derived from the sale of young chicks—and, where one pays attention to the business—they receive the greatest care. Each brood, like the adult, is kept seperate from the others, in a little coop, which prevents quarreling among the hens, and enables the manager to count and know all about the chicks. This is very important, as there are many farmers who hatch scores of broods and yet cannot tell what became of two-thirds of them. Hawks, crows, cats, rats, and other depredators take their choice, and the owners are no wiser. Each sitting hen should be in a coop by herself, and each coop should have a lath run. The critical period is the forming of the feathers, which calls for frequent feeding, and when they have passed that stage, the chicks become hardy. The houses need not be more than eight feet square for each family, and can be doubled. If possible, it is best to have changeable yards, but, if used, a less number can be kept to an acre. If the yards are kept clean by an occasional spading, however, green stuff may be grown elswhere and thrown over to them. This may consist of cabbage, grass, turnip tops, kale, mustard, lettuce, etc. Watering must not be neglected, or the meals given irregularly. Care must be observed not to feed too much, as overfat fowls will lay but few eggs, and such eggs will not hatch. A good poultry manager is always among his fowls, and observes everything. The breeds have special characteristics also. The large fowls must be hatched in March, if early pullets are desired for winter laying. This applies to Brahmas, Cochins, and Plymouth Rocks. If the manager finds this impossible, he should at once substitute cocks of the Leghorn breed, which, crossed with large hens, make good marketable chicks, and produce pullets that mature early. A knowledge of the characteristics of the several breeds is indispensible to success. Crossing pure-bred cocks with common hens is excellent, but "fancy poultry" is not profitable to any but those who understand thoroughly the mating and selection of the several breeds.

The Farm Dairy.

Mr. J. W. Darrow, writes as follows upon an important topic in the "American Agriculturist for July:

In the average farm dairy, too little attention is given to the management of milk. The introduction of what may be termed "the home-made creamery system," has proved a wonderful boon to many farmers. Such as do not invest in the patented creameries, need some artificial method for keeping the milk and cream at a proper temperature. A neighboring farmer has for several years kept milk in a cellar-tank, which is supplied from an adjoining pond of pure water. Into this water-tank, cans, 20 inches deep, are set so that the water comes to within two inches of the top, and they are left uncovered, to allow the animal heat to pass off. A thermometer, occasionally plunged into the water enables him to regulate the temperature, which should be at about 62 degrees, and as a result, the cream rises, to a depth of from two to three inches in the can. The tank was built, and water conducted to it, at a small expense, which has been amply repaid, as the quantity of cream greatly exceeds that produced by the old method, of setting in shallow pans. By some such means as this the farm dairy may be made a profitable adjunct to general farming.

No Puffery.

Nothing can be more offensive to conscientious Druggists than indiscriminate puffery. But it is a pleasure to speak candidly and sincerely in praise of such a medicine as Hunt's Remedy for the Kidneys, Bladder, liver, and urinary organs; a specific and positive cure that has been before the public for twenty-five years, and has rescued from suffering and despair even the victims of Bright's Disease. The facts in regard to Hunt's Remedy, the great kidney and liver medicine, are substantiated by high authority.

Agricultural Value of Fertilizers.

The agricultural value of a fertilizer is measured by the crop it will produce, and must therefore vary with the conditions under which it is placed. The effect of a fertilizer depends largely upon the kind of crops, character of soil, the weather, tillage, and many other varying circumstances, so that the crop-producing power of any special manure can only be determined in a general manner, and this must be upon a larger number o' trials in various places, extending over several years. All who use fertilizers should distinguish between the two values pointed out. In the market the three most important ingredients of plant food have established values, which vary but little from year to year. Those substances may be worth more or less than the market price to the farmer as a means of producing larger crops. Until all the varying conditions of soil, seed, weather, etc, are reduced to a certainty, no one can foretell the exact agricultural value of any commercial fertilizer. The farmer must count the cost in dollars and cents, estimate the probabilities founded on experience, and then try and know.—[American Agriculturist for July.

The editor of the American Poultry Yard says that the larger breeds of fowls, such as the Brahmas or Cochins, make very fine eating when nearly full grown, if they have been fed properly. If half grown immature birds are desired for the table, then those breeds above-named will not furnish them nearly as well as will such breeds as the Leghorns, games and others of a like ilk. The reason for this is obvious. The Brahmas are much longer in maturing, while the games and all the small or medium-sized breeds are sooner developed. They feather up quickly and acquire the much-desired roundness and plumpness sooner and easier than do any of the larger breeds. This is especially so with the pullets, though the same rule applies to cockerels, which latter require maturity (not necessarily age) to make them really fine eating.

Ensilage.

A Vermont correspondent of the "Country Gentleman" says that after four years experience he greatly prefers putting corn fodder into the silo uncut. He admits it is a little more trouble to feed it, but the saving afterward makes that up more than ten times over. He says the uncut is by far the sweetest, and that when both cut and uncut are packed together in the same silo. He is so well pleased from his past experience that he shall cut no more, but cut up, and fill his silo in the same manner as when putting fodder through a machine.

The Summer Fashions.

One very rich silk toilet is made with short skirt, plaited at the back, ruffled at the sides, and draped in front. The skirt has a number of fine narrow plaitings around the lower edge. The sleeves are set very high and waist is plain. A fichu and small bonnet go with this dress, though the hats and bonnets this season are of all styles, sizes and colors, red, tan-color, cream, white and black being the prevailing ones.

The belles are dressing in affected imitation of the milk-maids and water-girls, ginghams, satteens, muslins, chambervs and lawns are made up with plain, or plaited and belted waists, and gathered skirts, edged with a single ruffle, for the Newport lawns, and white towel and muslin embroidered aprons go with such dresses. Very handsome belts are worn with the loose and plaited waists of summer fabrics. Very large, round embroidered collars are worn by children. Capes and fichus of many different shapes and sizes are worn with summer suits. Late gloves are more commonly gauntleted than wrinkled. Colored petticoats are very stylish. The wonderful prevalence of red this season is ascribed to the fact that to the tanned complexions gained at the seaside or in the mountains, red is by far the most becoming color. Guipure lace is coming into favor once more. Very narrow ribbons are worn in profusion on the hair, bodice, skirt, and at the throat. Inch-wide ribbons are worn neatly around the neck with linen collars, and tied into a bow in front. Ribbons two-thirds of an inch wide are worn in several colors to knot at the throat without a brooch.

Beautiful Homes.

Beautiful homes have their influence on our lives. It has been truly stated that "the hope of America is the homes of America." It should be the highest ambition of individuals to contribute what they can toward beautifying the home and elevating the home life of the masses. The pleasanter the surroundings of the children are, the more surely will they grow up to manhood and womanhood with an earnest desire to embody in their lives what is beautiful, good and true. No one can measure the influence of surroundings upon the plastic minds of children. The neatly-kept lawn, with here and there some choice shrubbery; the artistically arranged groups of flowering plants, with a corresponding amount of in door attractions in the form of paintings, engravings, etc., each have an influence in rendering home life more attractive, the result of force less necessary, for the refining influence exerted upon the minds and hearts of the children makes the earthly home, to some extent, at least not unlike that to which we are ever hopefully looking forward.

Recipes for the Table.

Pine Apple Dessert.—Pare the pine apples and cut out all black speeks then cut them in thin slices; also peel and slice an equal quantity of oranges; lay them alternately in a glass dish and sprinkle each layer with pulverized sugar Let them stand two or three hours before serving.

Whortleberry Pudding.—No. 1. Beat together till very smooth three teacups of sugar, one of butter, with the yolks of three eggs, one and a half cups of flour and a quart of berries rolled in flour, a grated nutmeg, and a wine glass of brandy; beat the whites of eggs very light and add by degrees; bake an hour-and-a-half. Serve hot with sauce.

Whortleberry Pudding.—No. 2. Five eggs; three cups of sugar, one of butter, one of milk, four of flour; two teaspoonfuls of yeast powder; one and a half pints of whortleberries; beat the eggs separate; cream the sugar and butter; add other ingredients, stirring the berries in last; bake in a greased cake-mould in a moderate oven one hour. Serve with sauce.

Lamb Roast.—Salt and pepper a hind quarter of lamb; lay it in a pan and dredge with flour; roast two-hours-and-a-half without water. When done add a half-pint of sherry wine to the gravy; take out the roast and put it on a warm dish; stir a teaspoonful of flour in the gravy; add a few pieces of mace, let it boil up once. Serve in a gravy boat.

Fricassee of Lamb or Veal.—Take any pieces of lamb or veal and cut them into small squares; put them in a stew pan with sufficient water to cover them; season with salt, pepper and butter; cover close and boil one hour; moisten two tablespoonfuls of flour with a cup of sweet milk; stir in with the meat and boil five minutes; add a few sprigs of parsley. Serve with hot biscuit.

Pineapple Marmalade.—Peel the pineapples and cut out all black speeks and spots, then grate them on a coarse grater; weigh them and take equal quantities of the fruit and white sugar; sprinkle the sugar over the fruit and let it stand for two or three hours; then put it in a preserving kettle and boil for three-quarters of an hour or until the marmalade becomes clear. It is best to put it in air-tight glass jars.

Trifle.—Beat the white of six eggs to a froth; add three tablespoonfuls of pulverized sugar and a teaspoonful of any flavoring you like; whip this until the spoon will stand in it; beat the yolks and a half-cup of white sugar until light; stir this into one quart of boiling milk; as soon as it comes to a boil pour it into a bowl, and set aside to cool; when cold pour into a glass dish and heap the whites on top.

Fashion Notes.

Sleeves of street dresses are made longer.

Beaded Jerseys are becoming and stylish

Lace is extensively used on handsome bonnets.

All stylish wraps for late spring wear are small.

Ribbons will be used to excess in dress garniture.

Silk pompons are very popular as dress trimmings.

New polonaises have increased fullness in the back.

Navy blue is the favorite color for mountain and yachting suits.

Striped nun's veilings, with plain for the waist or polonaise, are seen.

Plaid or striped ginghams are to be made up with basques of solid color.

Velvet ribbons of bright colors will be used profusely on summer toilets.

Embroidered muslins are to be the favorite material for fine white dresses.

The Ottoman reps for summer have a finer cord than those of last season.

Handsome and becoming waists and jackets are made of beaded grenadine.

Spanish net mantles dotted with velvet, will be the novelty in summer wraps.

Many of the pretty summer silks and foulards in light colors are trimmed with white lace.

Real India camel's hair broche can be had for flounces and draperies of handsome costumes.

The fronts of some of the new straw bonnets are formed of amber beads mixed in gilt passementerie.

Plaids in subdued colors are made for traveling suits, morning dresses for shopping and for the street.

A very pretty little mantle is entirely of brocaded jet, lined with red satin and trimmed with Spanish lace.

Pongee dresses will be popular again this summer, and will be trimmed with ecru lace or embroidery.

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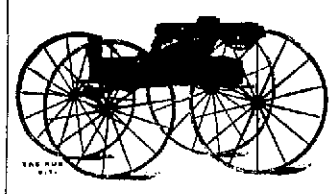

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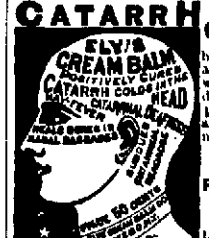

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Miscellaneous.

A Story of California in Forty-Nine.

Senator Jones of Nevada, had gone to California with thousands of others when the wonderful discovery of gold in that far off land thrilled every hamlet and village. He had good and bad fortune. Among those who went to seek their fortunes there was a man named Hayward, from Vermont. Hayward had a claim on the mountain-side, that as yet had shown no particular promise; still he stuck to it. One hot summer day, when the Red Hills were quivering with heat, Hayward came to see Jones. Said he:

"Jones, I am very near to a wonderful vein. I know it; I feel it, but I am flat broke. I want $2000; with that I will make both our fortunes." "Now, old fellow," said Jones, "I have known just 1000 men who were in exactly your fix. They only needed $1000, and sometimes $100, to make their eternal all. Finally Jones said: "I will give you this money. I have $3000 buried under the fire-place, and when the fire goes out I will get it out for you, but don't ask me for any more."

Hayward got the money and said: "When I strike it I will give you a quarter interest."

One afternoon about a month after this happened, Jones was sitting in his cabin when Hayward suddenly burst in as white as a sheet. "Jones," said he, "I have struck it!"

They went together to look at it, and sure enough, Hayward had struck an immense bonanza, or "pocket," of almost pure gold. Jones, with his experience, saw it was the richest mine in California. Hayward sold it to Wells, Fargo, and some others for $5,000,000, and the day the sale was made he gave Jones $1,250,000. Jones afterward married Hayward's daughter. But this is the history of the New Amador, and of the great start in life of Jones of Nevada.

Made His First Hit.

And still another New York millionaire has put his son into business. It happened only the other day. He gave the young man $5,000 and told him to go out upon the street and speculate. Two hours later the son came back and said:

"Father, is a profit of $2,000 on my capital a fair send off?"

"I should say so! How did you make it?"

"Bought a horse."

"Bought a horse?"

"Just so. I've bought a horse for $5,000 which the owner has all along been asking $7,000 for, and if you've any more loose change I know where you can pick up a tally-ho coach for half what it cost a year ago."

The old gent didn't seem to have any more.

What He Took Him For.

The president of a defunct savings bank of this city got into a hack and rode to the Central depot recently. Upon arrival at his destination the driver said, "fare, please, one dollar."

As the regular charge is only fifty cents, the passenger indignantly demanded of the "John," "what do you take me for?"

"Fifty cents on the dollar, sir. I was afraid to say only fifty cents for the ride for fear you would want to settle with me for a quarter, that being fifty per cent. and the rate at which you settled with your other creditors."

The hackman got his dollar and the ex-banker got something he had not thought of before.—*Chicago Chuck.*

Her Daughter's Husband.

A traveler saw a woman take a man by the collar and yank him up the steps into a railroad car, jam him down into a hot seat near the stove, pile up a valise and two big brown baskets with loose covers and long handles at his feet, shove a lady into his lap and say:

"Now sit there until I help Mary Jane on the car, and don't move till I come back."

When the woman reached the door the traveler said to her.

"Is that man your husband?"

"N-A-W-W!" roared the woman "He's my daughter's husband, and she hasn't spirit enough to say her soul is her own."

This true story teaches us that some travelers havn't enough sense to diagnose a family party when they see one.

In Those Good Days.

After the late civil war had been going on for six or eight months, and everybody was going for a government contract and riches, President Lincoln was one day approached by a little old man, who introduced himself as the proprietor of a second-hand clothing store just started in Washington.

"Well, do you want a colonel's commission?" asked old Abe.

"Not shust now. I pellef I like a government contract."

"Oats or hay?"

"Oh, no! I keeps some second-hand clothing."

"And what sort of a contract can you take?"

"Vhell, I dean' oxactly make dot oudt myself, but I sells members of Congress sheaper goats und weets und bants dan any odder in der peesness. I like you to pass some law to make 'em pay of me."

Doesn't Live with Her, Now.

"I have not seen you for a long time. How are your folks?"

"Quite well, thanks."

"And my old friend, your mother-in-law, how is she coming on?"

"I don't know how she is coming on.—Haven't seen her or spoken to her in five years."

"What! had a row?"

"No, that ain't the cause."

"Then you don't live with her any more?"

"I should think not. She died five years ago. I don't look like a man who resides with a corpse, do I?"

A Miserly Deacon's Contribution.

A miserly deacon in Western New York didn't like the new red contribution box, and declared he wouldn't put anything in it. He kept his promise for a long while, but finally dropped into it what looked like a check. A surprised member thanked him. "I guess they won't pass it to me again," was the reply. "I put in that kerosene bill for 40 cents this church has owed me for more than two years."

"I wonder what is the matter with Mr. Brown," said the landlady; "he seems to be very angry about something. Why, you should have seen him grinding his teeth just now in the hall." "Perhaps," suggested Fogg, "he is only getting them in order before tackling one of your beefsteaks." The landlady smiled, but there was murder in her heart.

She sang, "I want to be an angel," and he wore that she was one already. To this she blushingly demurred. Then he married her. Demurrer sustained.

PUBLIC LAWS OF RHODE ISLAND

Passed at the May Session, 1883.

CHAPTER 383.

AN ACT in addition to Chapter 97 of the Public Statutes, "Of Wrongs to Children."
(Passed June 1, 1883.)

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

SECTION 1. All fines imposed and collected in any town or county in this State under the provisions of Chapter 97 of the Public Statutes, and of every other act passed affecting children, in every case where the prosecution shall be instituted or conducted by the Rhode Island Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, shall, except where otherwise provided, enure and be paid over to said Society in aid of the purposes for which said Society was incorporated.

SEC. 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 385

AN ACT in amendment of and in addition to Chapter 377 of the Public Laws, entitled "An Act in amendment of and in addition to Chapter 146 of the Public Statutes, 'Of Private and Several Oyster Fisheries,' and of Chapter 145 of the Public Statutes, 'Of Free and Common Oyster Fisheries,'" passed April 13, 1883.
(Passed June 1, 1883.)

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

SECTION 1. Section 3 of Chapter 377, of the Public Laws, is hereby amended so that said section will read as follows:

"SEC. 3. The Commissioners of Shell Fisheries may let and lease any lands not heretofore leased, covered by the waters of Narragansett Bay, where the said waters are of the depth of at least twelve feet at the average low water for the purpose of having the said land used in experimenting in planting and cultivating oysters in the deep waters of said Bay, at an annual rental of not less than one dollar per acre, per year, and for a term not exceeding five years.

SEC. 2. The Commissioners shall hereafter cause the surveying and platting of all lands for planting and cultivating oysters under provisions of this act, or of the act to which this is an amendment and addition, to be done at the expense of the State, and without charge to the lessees; and the State Auditor shall draw his order for the payment of said surveys and platting upon the General Treasurer, upon properly presented vouchers, approved by said Commissioners, and the General Treasurer shall pay said orders out of any moneys that may be in his hands not otherwise appropriated.

SEC. 3. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

SEC. 4 This act shall take effect from and after its passage.

CHAPTER 386

AN ACT in amendment of Chapter 256 of the Public Statutes, "Of Salaries."
(Passed June 1, 1883.)

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

SECTION 1. The salaries of the clerks of the Supreme Court and Court of Common Pleas, for the county of Bristol, shall hereafter be three hundred dollars each per annum. And the salaries of the clerks of the Supreme Court and Court of Common Pleas for the county of Washington shall hereafter be five hundred dollars each per annum.

SEC. 2. All acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed and this act shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 387.

AN ACT in amendment of and in addition to Chapter 87 of the Public Statutes, "Of the Suppression of Intemperance."
(Passed June 1, 1883.)

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

SECTION 1. No license shall be granted for the sale of pure spirituous or intoxicating liquors within the limits of the cities of Providence and Newport, and the towns of Pawtucket and Woonsocket in any building or place within two hundred feet and within all other towns four hundred feet of any public school, measuring by the nearest accessible way.

SEC. 2. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

I certify the foregoing to be true copies.
Witness:
JOSHUA M. ADDEMAN,
Secretary of State.

CONSUMPTION.

It is said that 50,000 people die annually in the United States alone from this disease. In some sections of the country one death in every three is from consumption. This can be and should be avoided; our people are too careless about an ordinary cough or cold, and other symptoms of throat and lung affections that lead to this disease. You should arrest it while it is in the germ. Two or three doses of Dr. Bosanko's Cough and Lung Syrup will relieve an ordinary cough or cold. It does not dry up a cough like many preparations, and leave the disease behind it, but acts directly on the throat and bronchial tubes, removing all the phlegm and morbid matter that accumulates in the throat and lungs. It allays all irritation, and renders the voice clear and distinct. Trial size free. Sold by J. E. Groff, Agent, 210 Thames street, and B. F. Downing, Jr., Broadway.

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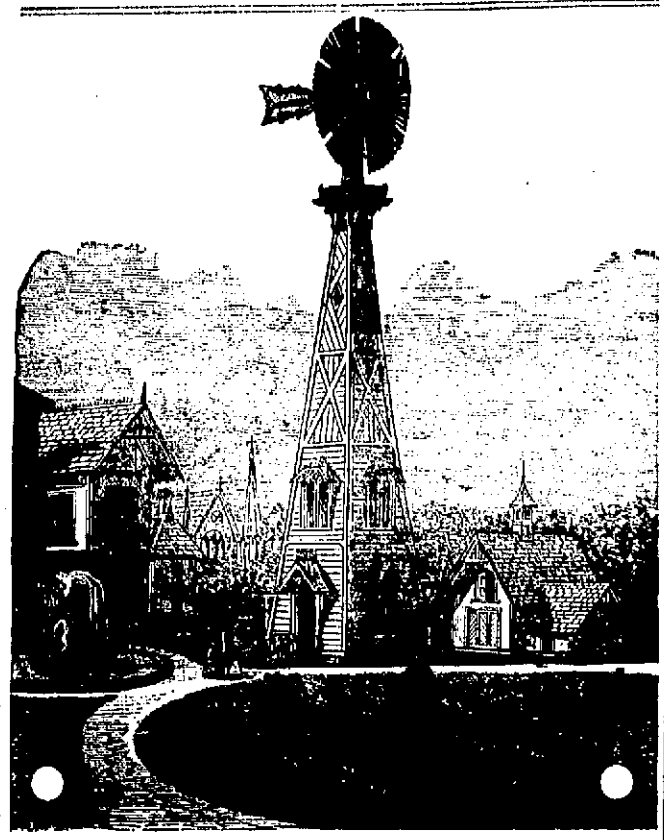

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NEWPORT COUNTY NEWS.

MIDDLETOWN.

TOWN COUNCIL.—The usual monthly session of the town council was held on Monday afternoon, the members all being in attendance. In the absence from sickness of the Town Clerk, Frederick A. Lawton was elected clerk pro tempore and duly sworn.

An order for $1000.00 on the Town Treasurer was granted to E. and A. H. Hayward of Newport, the sub contractors for the construction of the new highway from 2d and 1st Beach Avenue around by the Hanging Rocks to 3d Beach Road. Mr. Hayward reports this highway as fast approaching completion, about all the blasting and breaking of ledges and filling of marshy and wet places has been done and a few more days of labor will suffice to make the road bed of sufficient width throughout and of proper grade. This road is so far completed as to admit of travel and many teams have already passed over it according to the statement of the sub contractor. The balance of $2800.00 to make the full sum named in the contract for building this highway will be paid upon being entirely finished to the satisfaction of this council. According to the latter-day prophets the next thing to be looked for in this direction will be numerous and extensive sales of real estate which have for long time hinged upon the construction of this highway.

Benjamin Howland was appointed a special constable to enforce the laws regulating the sale of intoxicating liquors within the limits of this town.

Charles H. Hazard, surveyor of road district, No. 7, was directed to recover the plank bridge in his district with new plank.

An order on the town treasury for $23 00 was granted to Nathaniel Peckham to pay for 6 sections and 2 points additional, purchased for the new road machine by him and C. Henry Congdon was appointed a committee to have custody of this machine and to keep the same under suitable cover all the expense of the town.

IN COURT OF PROBATE.—The petition of Sarah E. Smith, as guardian of her minor children to sell their interest in certain real estate was dismissed on her motion, and said petitioner was granted leave to withdraw. The first account of Sarah E. Smith as executrix of Henry Smith with his estate was examined and passed.

APROPOS TO THE LIQUOR QUESTION.—The Rev. Micah J. Talbot, Presiding Elder, made a visitation to the Methodist church in this town on Sunday evening, June 10th. In the course of a stirring sermon which he delivered on that occasion, he criticized very tersely the act of our Legislature at its recent session, amending the law for regulating the sale of liquor, and administered a telling rebuke to those representatives of the people, in particular, who knowing the prevailing sentiments of their constituents on this matter of liquor selling, determined to ignore them. These remarks of the reverend preacher were thoroughly appreciated by his audience and are in accord with the honest opinion of the greater portion of the people of this town. The citizens of Middletown are yet old fashioned and simple enough to believe, that the most effectual method to promote the true object of the public school, viz: the making of virtuous and useful citizens, is to keep the surrounding of that school as free from depraving influences as possible. They see no occasion in the present exigencies of affairs for an increase of the facilities for the sale of liquor, and in common with many other communities throughout the State, deplore the fact that the General Assembly has, by its recent act seen fit so to do.

PORTSMOUTH.

JOTTINGS.—The Rev. William Miller, of Swansea, Mass., preached in the Christian church of this town on Sunday last.

The Rev. Lewis L. Briggs, of Providence, has decided to accept the call to become pastor of the Christian church, of this town, if they will give him $800, a year. It is thought by many that said amount will be raised.

Master Freddy, second son of Mr. Benj. F. Thomas, who lives in the hotel building, while at play on Wednesday, fell through a hole in the piazza floor and cut a large gash in the side of his neck. Dr. Benj. Greene was summoned, and sewed up the wound. At this writing Freddy is getting on finely.

Mr. Charles G. Thomas, of this town has, for several days past, been taking very handsome new potatoes to market. They are yielding very well, and readily bring $2.50 per bushel, at wholesale.

The Canker worm has left his mark in many orchards, as they are entirely stripped of their foliage.

TIVERTON.

An enterprising young man from Taunton is located at Isaac G. White's wharf, Tiverton, salting and packing herring for the West Indies, Central and South America, but mostly for the Island of Jamaica. He seems to be doing quite a business, using about 40 bushels of salt per day. He has already salted over 300 barrels, having been at work a little over three weeks.

John Almy (at the neck) has a very large and handsome Lady Washington geranium, having 206 clusters averaging four flowers to a cluster.

Rev. Mr. Arnold from Wells, Me., commenced his labors with the Amicable Congregational society, Sunday, June 3d.

Sch. Princeton, Johnson, from Bangor with lumber, arrived at the wharf of J. G. Bowen, between the bridges, Tiverton, June 5, going up the Sanconnet river and so through Stone Bridge draw.

The canker worms are making havoc with some orchards near the north end of the town. It looks as though there had been a fire in them.

Crops are looking well.

School district No. 4 is having a new house built, of modern architecture. When finished it will be the best in the town.

John Corf has begun to make preparations toward building a new house near his old one, south of the Four Corners.

NEW ENGLAND ITEMS.

RHODE ISLAND.

Fort Ninigret.

Says a correspondent: "Our thoughtful and wise Indian Commissioners, Dwight R. Adams, George Carmichael, Jr., and William P. Sheffield, Jr., in bringing their long and arduous labors to a close, and thus writing the final chapter in the Indian history of R. I., are doing a truly excellent thing at Fort Ninigret, and one that will meet with the heartiest approval of all the people of Rhode Island, and certainly secure the praise of the generations that may follow us. In protecting and guarding the ancient historical fort, they have contracted for an iron fence three and a half feet high, completely enclosing the work, and have already planted fifty evergreen trees in clusters defining the shape of the fort, so that its form can be seen from a distance. They have also lifted from the ground into proper position a bowlder—a genuine native—as a fit memorial stone, and have had a face cut upon one side to receive a memorial inscription. The form of this inscription has been prepared, and will shortly be cut in the stone. In due time, when all the work of enclosing the fort and finishing the memorial stone shall be finished, the Commissioners intend to invite some of the State officers and citizens of the State, also a speaker on history, a poet, and a landscape painter, to meet in the old aboriginal stronghold, the citadel of the Ninigrets, to hold a sort of commemorative service. The idea of this meeting is as beautiful as it is just. The painting, which the artist has offered to execute, will in itself be a jewel to be presented to the Rhode Island Historical Society.

The first steamer ever floated on the Blackstone River was safely launched Thursday at Woonsocket. She is named the Evening Reporter, in compliment to the local daily paper. The vessel is fashioned throughout after Mary Anderson's steam yacht Galatea. She is owned by William Dame.

Summer guests are rapidly arriving at Block Island.

The annual encampment of the Rhode Island militia will begin July 10th.

A survey is soon to be made of Wickford harbor, which will define the rights of land owners on the water front.

At Narragansett Pier everything is in readiness for the summer's campaign. Guests were expected this week.

The veterans of the First Rhode Island Cavalry celebrate the twentieth anniversary of the battle of Middleburg, in which they took an active part, at Oakland Beach, on Monday.

Block Islanders claim that the catch of cod fish this season has been very small.

MASSACHUSETTS

St. John's Day, June 25th, is to be celebrated by the French population of Fall River in grand style, and the French residents of Newport, Providence, Taunton, New Bedford and Warren have been invited to join in the celebration and enjoy the festivities. The mills where the French are employed will close at 12 o'clock, to enable them to enjoy the occasion. The celebration will be at Forest Hill Garden. The programme includes dancing all the day, shore dinner from 1 to 3 o'clock, and speeches from 3 to 6 p. m. In the evening, a French drama, "A Marriage Missed," will be given, and the amusements will close with a display of fireworks. The net proceeds will be devoted to the Orphan Asylum of Notre Dame, Flint Village.

Waldo Burrows, of Dedham, Mass., 17 years old, shot himself with a pistol Monday night, it is supposed accidentally, and died yesterday. He was a promising young man and fitting for Harvard College.

The army worm has appeared in Worcester County, Mass., and is doing much damage to the grass and other crops.

The brother of Robert J. Burdette, of the Burlington Hawkeye, is to enter the Baptist ministry, having been graduated from Newton, Mass., last week.

NEW HAMPSHIRE.

All crops in central New Hampshire are looking fine. The frequent rains and hot weather give promise of the best harvest for years.

The severest rain and wind storm ever experienced there passed over Salmon Falls and its vicinity Wednesday afternoon. A large new barn at Rollinsford, owned by J. M. Brown, was carried three or four feet, causing damage of about $400. Large trees and chimneys at Salmon Falls and at South Berwick were blown down. The telegraph and telephone wires were also blown down, cutting off all telegraph communication.

O. H. Sleeper, jeweler, of East Norwood, N. H., has been attached by Carrie Langley for breach of promise. The damages are put at $3000.

Where to see the Great Trotters of New York.

[*Cincinnati Times-Star.*]

No two men in America have had more experience with fine trotting stock, and none are better judges than Calvin M. Priest, of the New York Club Stables, 28th street near Fifth avenue and Dan Mace, of the Excelsior Stables, West 29th street, New York, the champion double-team driver of the United States. Both of these gentlemen say, that for painful ailments in horses, such as cuts, bruises, swellings, lameness, stiffness, St. Jacobs Oil is superior to anything they have ever used or heard of. This is also the opinion of Prof. David Roharge, the celebrated horse-shoer of the metropolis, and thousands of stock-owners throughout the country. As a pain-cure for man and beast St. Jacobs Oil has no equal. Mr. Priest recites the case of a valuable trotter, so stiff from rheumatism, that he could not move an inch. By one, thorough application of St. Jacobs Oil at night, the animal was completely cured, and was fit for the race-track, the next day.

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23 SATURDAY,	4 24	7 41	9 37	9 51
24 SUNDAY,	4 24	7 41	10 11	10 46
25 MONDAY,	4 24	7 41	10 41	11 36
26 TUESDAY,	4 25	7 42	11 16	12 24
27 WEDNESDAY,	4 25	7 42	18 49	1 11
28 THURSDAY,	4 25	7 42	morn.	2 02
29 FRIDAY,	4 26	7 42	0 25	2 57

New Moon, 5th day, 5h. 2m, afternoon.
First Quarter, 12th day, 0h. 18m, morning.
Full Moon, 20th day, 6h. 40m, afternoon.
Last Quarter 27th day, 11h. 49m, afternoon.

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Married.

In Fall River, Mass, 14th inst., John H. Peckham to Lillie Wilkey, both of this city.

In Nice, France, 4th inst., Count Joseph Hamilton de Robiglio, of Nice, to Elsie T., daughter of Mrs. A. M. King, of this city.

In Block Island, 17th inst., by Rev. George Wheeler, Charles A. Negus to Miss Lewellen E Hall, both of Block Island.

Died.

In this city, 19th inst., George W. Perkins, in the 62d year of his age.

In this city, 17th inst., Johanna Sheehan, aged 45 years.

In this city, 18th inst., Michael, youngest son of Michael and Margaret Vaughan, aged 16 months.

In this city, 18th inst., Charles Cotter, aged 75 years.

In this city, 20th inst., John, son of Michael and Ellen Adams, aged 21 years and 6 months.

In Fall River, 20th inst., Jenny, wife of David F. Beattie, formerly of this city, aged 30 years.

In Providence, 15th inst., Deacon Alexander Walford, 82; 15th, Caroline A., widow of Isaac P. Simmons, 54; 16th, Silas J. Allen, 65; 16th, Edwin W. Willson, 71; 17th, George L. Noltage, 89; 18th, Frances A., wife of John C. Knowles; 19th, Maude M., daughter of Dr. Augustus Remick, 11; 20th, John McLaughlin, 80.

In Wickford, 15th inst., Seth C., youngest son of Capt. Stukely C. Northup, aged 21 years.

In Centreville, R. I., 16th inst., Hon. Benedict Lapham, aged 66 years.

In Pawtucket, 16th inst., Warren S. Ballou, 70; 17th, Mary S., wife of Daniel A. Prentice and daughter of the late Capt Jacob and Mary Bogman, 73.

In Valley Falls, 18th inst., John G. Paterson, aged 58 years.

In New London, 18th inst., Captain Nathan S. Richards.

In Fall River, 18th inst., Oliver Hunter, aged 95 years.

The Island Savings Bank.

AT the annual meeting for the election of officers, the following persons were unanimously elected for the year ensuing:

President—John C. Braman.

Vice Presidents—Robert S. Franklin, John C. Stoddard and Henry H. Fay.

DIRECTORS:

Geo. A. Armstrong, John P. Sanborn, Samuel Carr, Augustin C. Titus, Perry G. Case, David S. Mayberry, Wm. A. Stedman, Lyman R. Blackman, Stephen S. Albro.

Secretary and Treasurer—Stephen H. Norman.

STEPHEN H. NORMAN, Secretary. 6-23

Union National Bank of Newport, R. I.

THE STOCKHOLDERS of this Bank are hereby notified, that a semi-annual dividend of two-and-a-half per cent on the Capital Stock has been declared payable on and after Monday, July 2d, 1883.

J. S. COGGESHALL, Cashier.

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS.

Office Clerk Court of Common Pleas, Newport, June 21, 1883.

THIS COURT will come in on Monday, July 2d, next, at 11 o'clock, A. M., and *not* on June 25.

THOS. W. WOOD, Clerk. 6-23-1w

A CARD.

THE MEMBERS of Steam Fire Engine Co., No. 7, hereby express their thanks to the friends who so generously responded to their petition for an American Flag.

Capt. G. A. EASTON, Jr.
JOSEPH MARTIN.
JOHN F. KANE.
RICHMOND SHEPLEY.
JOHN VAYRO.
Committee on Flag. 6-23

Island Savings Bank.

20TH DIVIDEND.

A SEMI-ANNUAL Dividend at the rate of five per cent per annum will be paid on all deposits in accordance with the By-Laws, on and after July 16, 1883.

STEPHEN H. NORMAN, Treasurer. 6-23

National Exchange Bank.

NEWPORT, R. I., June 18, 1883.

36TH DIVIDEND.

A SEMI-ANNUAL Dividend of four per cent on the Capital Stock of this Bank for the current six months, was this day declared, payable on and after Monday, July 2d, 1883.

STEPHEN H. NORMAN, Cashier. 6 23

First National Bank.

NEWPORT, R. I., June 22.

A SEMI-ANNUAL DIVIDEND of five per cent. has been declared payable at this bank on and after Monday, July 2, 1883.

NATH'L R. SWINBURNE, Cashier. 6-23

New Advertisements.

Newport Line.

This Line will be placed in operation for the Summer Season, commencing June 25th, on which date solid train service will be resumed between New Bedford and Newport, in connection with Martha's Vineyard and Nantucket Steamers at the former point, and New York Steamers at the latter. The Steamers "OLD COLONY" and "NEWPORT" will leave Newport on alternate days, Sundays excepted, at 9 P. M. Returning, leave New York at 6 P. M. This Summer Service is placed in operation for the accommodation of Travel from and to Martha's Vineyard, Nantucket, and other summer resorts, and important points local to the Old Colony Railroad, and is especially designed for the better accommodation of Newport travel. As Newport is the Eastern terminus of this Line, passengers for that city may rest undisturbed until 7 A. M.

J. R. KENDRICK, General Manager.

GEO. L. CONNOR, General Passenger Agent.

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FURNITURE AT AUCTION.

On MONDAY, June 25th, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the late residence of Capt. Joseph Paddock, (deceased), No. 309 Spring street. (If fair, if not, the next fair day).

WILL BE SOLD: Carpets, chairs, Tables, beds, bedding, several old fashioned tables, lounges, sofas, curtains, a large lot of antique crockery, kitchen utensils, bedding and a variety of other articles, comprising all the furniture in said house. By order of administrator.

FRANCIS STANHOPE, Auctioneer. 6-23

GROCERIES AND LIQUORS AT AUCTION, WEDNESDAY, JUNE 27,

At store No. 47 William street, commencing at 10 o'clock A. M.

WILL BE SOLD: Coffee, spices, salt, brandy, whiskey, gin, cherry rum, 3 barrel of first-class cider vinegar, 2 ice boxes, 2 stoves, beer pumps and pipes, measures, bar and sink, fancy bar bottles, one wagon and top, and a variety of other articles.

THOS. BURLINGHAM, Auctioneer. 6-23-1t

AUCTION SALE OF FURNITURE.

—ON—

THURSDAY, JUNE 28, 1883,

Commencing at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Jail, on Marlborough street.

WILL BE SOLD: An elegant mahogany secretary, ingrain carpets, chairs, tables, looking glasses, sewing machines, and a variety of other articles.

THOS. BURLINGHAM, Auctioneer. 6-23-1t

AUCTION.

Will be sold at Public Auction on Wednesday, June 27, 1883, at 10 o'clock, A. M., if fair, if not, the next fair day on the estate of the late Richard Field, in Glen road, Portsmouth, R. I.

1 Express Wagon, 1 Horse, 1 Lumber Wagon, 1 Sleigh, 1 Top Buggy, 1 Revolving Horse Rake, 1 Cow and Calf, 1 Yearling Heifer, about 60 Fowls, 12 Goslings, Flock of Geese and Goslings, 1-2 Barrel of Pork, 100 lbs White Lead, Hive of Bees, 1 Shell Monument, 1 Skiff and Oars, 2 Old-fashioned Yarn Coverlids, Plows, Cultivator, Farming tools, Household Furniture and all the articles both indoors and out, belonging to the said Estate.

JONATHAN A. SISSON, Administrator. 6-23

STANDING GRASS AT AUCTION.

Will be sold at Public Auction on the Premises, on MONDAY, June 25, 1883, at 11 o'clock, A. M.

SEVEN ACRES of Standing Grass on Honeyman Hill, belonging to the estate of the late Charles Spooner; also at the same time and place, 3 lots of Standing Grass on the Honeyman Hill Farm, directly opposite the first mentioned place. Conditions at Sale.

NATHANIEL PECKHAM, Auctioneer. 6-93

Court of Probate, City of Newport, June 18, 1883.

ON THE PETITION, in writing, of William G. Read of the City, County and State of New York, presented this day, praying that an instrument in writing presented therewith, purporting to be the last will and testament of

OLIVER READ,

late of Newport, deceased, may be proved, approved, allowed and recorded, and that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the said William G. Read, the executor named therein:

It is ordered that the consideration of said petition be referred to Monday, the 9th day of July, 1883, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Probate Office in the City Hall, Newport, and that notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by publishing a copy of this decree in the *Newport Mercury*, once a week at least, for fourteen days.

ALEX. N. BARKER, Probate Clerk. 6-23

Court of Probate, City of Newport, June 18, 1883.

GEORGE DENNISTON, executor of the last will and testament of

HENRY W. DODD,

late of Newport, deceased, presents his second account with the estate of said deceased, and prays that the same may be examined, allowed and recorded.

It is ordered that the consideration of said account be referred to Monday, the 9th day of July, 1883, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Probate Office, in the City Hall, Newport, and that notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by publishing a copy of this decree in the *Newport Mercury*, once a week at least, for fourteen days.

ALEX. N. BARKER, Probate Clerk. 6-23

Administrator's Notice.

THE SUBSCRIBER, having been appointed by the Honorable Court of Probate of Newport, Administrator on the estate of ELIZABETH S. FREEBORN, late of Newport, deceased, and having been qualified according to law, requests all persons having demands to present them, and all indebted to make payment to him.

CHRISTOPHER M. LEE, Administrator. 6-23

Administrators' Notice.

THE SUBSCRIBER, having been appointed by the Hon. Court of Probate of the city of Newport, Administrator on the estate of JAMES McDONOUGH late of Newport, deceased, and having been qualified according to law, requests all persons having demands to present them, and all indebted to make payment to him.

PATRICK J. GALVIN, Administrator. 6-23

National Bank of Rhode Island of Newport.

A SEMI-ANNUAL DIVIDEND will be paid to the stockholders of this bank on and after July 2, 1883.

THOMAS P. PECKHAM, Cashier. 6-23

New Advertisements.

THE CITY OF NEWPORT.

An Ordinance for the Assessment and Collection of a Tax.

It is ordained by the City Council of the City of Newport, as follows:

SECTION 1. A tax is hereby imposed and levied and shall be assessed and apportioned by the assessors of taxes of this city as soon as may be, on the inhabitants of this city and the ratable property within the same, in a certain percentage of the valuation (to be made by said assessors,) of all the ratable property of this city, to wit:—a tax of sixty-four cents on every one hundred dollars of the said value of said property, for the current municipal term of seven months extending from the first Monday of June, 1883, to the first Monday in January, 1884. Said tax shall be collected and paid into the city treasury on or before the expiration of sixty days from the time when the collector of taxes of said city shall receive from the city treasurer of said city the warrant for the collection of said tax.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately; and from and out of said tax, six cents on every one hundred dollars of said valuation shall be applied to the purpose of paying the indebtedness of this city and the interest thereon, and for appropriation to the sinking fund of this city; and the residue of said tax, with the moneys now in the city treasury, shall be and hereby is appropriated as follows, as near as may be:

For Streets and Highways ($22,000 of the same being set apart for building sewers and providing for sewerage)	$44,000 00
For State tax (whereof this city's proportion is hereby included in the assessment of said city tax)	35,368 26
For Fire Department	14,500 00
" Public Schools	20,000 00
" Watch and Police	13,500 00
" Salaries	10,000 00
" Incidentals	2,000 00
" Fourth of July	2,000 00
" Lighting Streets	12,000 00
" Newport Asylum	3,000 00
" Paupers and Vagrants	2,000 00
" Watering Streets	3,500 00
" Books, Stationery and Printing	1,500 00
" Burial Grounds	850 00
" Ward Meetings	200 00
" Public Parks	600 00
" Water Supply	7,000 00
" Removal of House Offal	1,500 00
	$173,118 26
Deduct sum now in Treasury	22,816 56
	$150,301 70
Debt, Interest and Sinking Fund	15,469 86
	$165,771 56

[Passed June 21, 1883.]

A true copy, Attest, WILLIAM G. STEVENS, City Clerk. 6-23-3w

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